

# THE HICKMAN COURIER.

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## Early Spring Models

### In Women's and Misses' Apparel

Much Originality Is In Evidence In Style Notes of Our Showing of Early Spring Models in Womens and Misses Apparel.



Everyone Seeking New Clothes Will Find This Showing Full of Interest.

For Women and Misses We Show

Suits, Coats, Skirts

Dresses, Waists

Millinery

For Every Spring-time Purpose and Occasion

The styles are original and closely follow the slender silhouette type. The fabrics are of exceptional quality, and the prices are less than you would expect in these times. The colorings and patterns add much to the diversity and exclusiveness of the style developments in every model.



### Millinery Makes Its Debut for Spring

Beautiful creations of the foremost milliners showing the styles which are at present favored on the stage of fashion, are now awaiting your approval.

We display a large number of ready-to-wear and tailored hats suitable for early wear.

The prices you will find very moderate.

## SMITH & AMBERG

INCORPORATED  
"A SAFE PLACE TO TRADE"

The informal dance given on last Friday evening at the former Moose Hall was well attended by number of young and married people and an enjoyable affair. Music was furnished by a ten piece orchestra of Memphis.

Mrs. D. B. Wilson and grandchildren returned home Sunday after a visit to her son-in-law, Ross Chesire, of Atlanta.

L. A. Stone and daughter spent last week with George Ralston and wife, of Memphis.

Miss Lucille Hendrix spent the week-end with Miss Mary Lee Pitzer, of Union City.

Ellis Dobson and wife spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Akers, at Fulton.

Val Carpenter spent a few days in St. Louis last week.

Rev. W. F. Renneberg was called to Paducah Saturday, on official business in connection with the exemption board.

Mrs. J. M. Hubbard and daughter, Mrs. W. B. Amberg, will return from Florida next week.

J. C. Hendrix & Son received a car load of Ford cars Monday.

C. G. Schlenker spent a few days this week in Louisville.

### Tank the Jumbo of Army Maneuvering in Moving Big Guns to New Positions



The big war tank is the elephant of army maneuvering as "Jumbo" is to the circus in moving heavy loads, and has earned the title without any competition for the place. Here is an unusual snapshot just received from the western front, showing the tank drawing a heavy siege gun to a new position. Note that the gun is artistically camouflaged by a net of leaves. Our Sammys and allies are taking many such guns to commanding positions and are ready if the Hun starts his long threatened offensive.

#### PUBLIC SCHOOL HONOR ROLL QUARTER ENDING FEB. 22.

The following pupils of the Hickman public schools have made 90 or more in class grades and 95 or better, in deportment:

##### Freshman

Lavelle Adams, Ruby Caldwell, Bessie Gene Douglass, Lilly Dillon, Kalye Flynn, Pansy Glaser, Mollie Monan, Thelma Oliver, Louella Rice, Hazel Sudberry, Mabel Choate, Hattie Swift, Dave Newton, Cowdill Helm.

##### Sophomore

Inez Housley, Virginia Spay.

##### Juniors

Valrie White, Mary Hardy Ligon, Nannie Monan, Lois Choate.

##### Seniors

Annie Carr Ligon, Sophia Ligon, Annie Russell Moore, Eva Adkisson, Lucille Hendrix, Velma Swift.

##### Eight Grade.

Dorothy Moore, Mary Stone, Althea Clark, Logan Prather, Mary Marshall, Martha Moore, Neville Roney, Harold Rice, Esther Taylor.

##### Seventh Grade

Paul Clark, Henry Roney, Chesley Douglass, Stuart Lynch, Don Henry, Paul Skinner, Helen Tulloss, Golda Higgs, Alma Swift, Tommy D. Holland, Allen Jones, Maxie Evans, Mollie Plant.

##### Sixth Grade

Mildred Huddleston, Mildred Goadler, Hubbard Easley, Ruth Ligon, Kathryn Tipton, Ruth Newton, Mary E. Henlin, Virnie White, Robert Choate, Frances Smith, Sadie Nalfch, Jack Parham, Mary Plummer, John Johnston, Rachel Darnell, Sarah Corum, Myra Blakemore, Ida Sue Perry, Elizabeth Brittan.

##### Fifth Grade

Margaret Johnson, Martha, Emily Dodds, Leland Johnston, Lela Adams, Erlene Adams, Mozelle Hamby, Christine Watson, Joe Roper, Walker Reeves, Elizabeth DePrest, J. C. West, Cowdill Usher, Lucille Roper, Mabel Holcombe, Bertha Wallace, Eula Swift, Lovie Taylor, Elmo Allen, John Henry King, Jettie Glover, Alice Nalfch.

##### Fourth Grade

Roy Jones, Jack Buck, Charlie Travis, Charlie Roy Allen, Edward Bark-

#### ROOFS FOR SAMMY IS MARSHAL TAYLOR



Lt. Col. Richard Marshall, Jr., furnishes the roof for our Sammys in American training camps. His wide experience in construction was the factor which resulted in his selection by the war department and the placing in charge of the cantonment constructions. He succeeded Colonel I. S. Littell.

ett, Will Ellison, Woodard Tipton, Joe Wiley, Harold Jackson, Ira Wolsefer, Frances Johnson, Leonora Amberg, Mary V. Curlin, Kathryn Bondurant, Marjorie Roney, Dorothy Naylor, Annie Plant, Alma Coon, Ruth Hampton, Ruby Webb, Tracy Freeman, Marshall Virgin, Gordon Gifford, Carmel Glover, Hayse Johnson, Udilla Harrison, Mary Frances Neighbors, Tommie Fuller, Thelma Darnell, Wayne Pearson.

##### Third Grade

Lillian Binford, Marjion Choate, Stoke Gilkye, Hilda Coon, Lewis Hornsby, Juanita Brooks, Paul Flippen, William Townsend, Louise Hale, Everett Adams, Ted Von Borries, Irene Creed, Louise French, Era Lancaster, Cornelius Poole, Goadler Brown, Jack Covington, Eult Miley, Arthur Whitsett, Dallas Brown, Clara Heatherly, Rob Pollock, Herman Eastman, Luther Dotson, Maurine Hamman, Marguerite Argo, Agnes Hammond, Elizabeth Nalfch, Irene Franklin, Christine Whitehead, Loda Pierce, Russel Virgin, Frank King, Arthur Heatherly, Lawrence Owens, Russel Trusty.

##### Second Grade

Ida Adams, George Helm, Reid Bondurant, Mozelle Nalfch, Vivian Newton, Elizabeth Whipple, Harold Bettersworth, Harry Curlin, Louise Fleming, Mar Lee Howell, Nannie Abernathy, Lola Mal Needy.

#### ONLY 3 CASES OF SMALLPOX.

Dan Newton, a well known young merchant of East Hickman, was quarantined Thursday by City Health Officer Lon Naylor, when Dan was found to have developed a nice case of smallpox. This makes the third case reported in the past ten days—two cases being near the extreme western border of the city.

#### BOUGHT 49 CARS OF LOGS.

C. M. Adams & Son inform us that on the strength of a 25c ad carried in the Courier they have purchased 49 cars of logs—30 of walnut, 15 of ash and 14 of oak, besides quite a bit of other timber in small lots. They are buying for the government and paying good prices.

#### NOTED HISTORIAN DIES.

Hubert Howe Bancroft, famous American historian, died Saturday, at Walnut Creek, 20 miles east of San Francisco, Cal., aged 86.

Mr. Bancroft in recent years had lived quietly at his home, continuing his historical writings. Death was said to have been due to ill incidents to old age.

Geo. Stewart, for the past four years superintendent of the light and power plants of Hickman and Fulton, has resigned this job and accepted a place with the Interstate Public Service Co., at Indianapolis, Ind. He is assistant to the vice president of the company.

Geo. L. Collins, one of our local carpenters and contractors, expects to go to Nashville this week to work on government work.

Miss Inez Laven, who is teaching school at Clinton, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Dr. S. W. Luten and wife.

Mrs. Hotchkiss Young and baby returned to her home in Memphis Monday after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Mack Reid.

Otto Hertweck returned to his home at Cairo Sunday after a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Percy Jones.

Mrs. S. L. Dodds has returned to her home at Clarksdale, Miss., after spending the winter at Hickman.

Mrs. Harry Threlkeld and Miss Margaret Cartwright spent Saturday in Union City.

E. C. Rice left Sunday for St. Louis to buy spring goods.

### BETTY JANE'S GAS MASK IS A FLUFFY-FLUFF VEIL OF TULLE



Betty Jane selects two models of rough straw for street wear, then with thoughts of a veil turns to the fluffy-fluff of a black tulle hat, swathed in a long tulle veil that lends no end of charm when draped around her shoulders. It also covers all the face but the eyes. It is her attempt to imitate Sammy with his gas mask. The two black crowns which breathe of "the old sod." Below, the semi-poke model carrying a pom-pom to the top and rear of the crown which completes a cutie angle. It is of lisere straw.





## THE HICKMAN COURIER

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SPEER & SEXTON, PUBLISHERS

## SUBSCRIPTION RATES

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6 Months..	.. 1.00
3 Months..	.. 80c
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(When the attention of The Hickman Courier is called to any misstatement of facts or to any error concerning any man or thing, correction will cheerfully be made.)



— This paper has enlisted with the government in the cause of America for the period of the war —

## MASONS PLAN GALA DAY FOR ST. JOHN'S, IN JUNE.

The Masonic fraternity throughout the State of Kentucky is planning a gala day for the celebration of St. John's Day in June. The fraternity is to act as a unit in each county, all lodges co-operating for a big, one-day outing, together with their families and sweethearts. The plan, of course, includes a big dinner and free amusement for old and young, but is strictly a Masonic affair.

In Fulton county there are four lodges—Hickman, Cayce, Crutchfield, and Fulton—with a combined membership of 500 or 600. The meeting place and plans will be left to a joint committee composed of three representatives from each lodge.

## NOTICE—OWNERS OF STOCK. STOCK LAW WILL BE ENFORCED.

After having received a number of letters from diverse persons in regard to the stock law, I wish to state to one and all persons or citizens in Fulton county, that the said law is in full force and effect and has been for some time. Any citizen, who is annoyed by stock running at large, and will come to me and make complaint, I will proceed to have arrested owners of such stock and deal with them according to law. Under the new law, stock is not permitted to run at large, and if such stock damage another, said owner is liable for all damage and is also subject to fine. If anyone feels that he has been damaged or annoyed by another's stock, kindly report the matter to me and it will be dealt with according to law.—Dee L. McNeill, County Attorney.

All crude and unworked platinum, in the hands of importers, jobbers and wholesalers, will be commandeered by the War Department for war purposes as the result of an order issued at Washington Friday. Platinum is essential in the manufacture of sulphuric acid, a constituent of explosive.

Come to the Busy Bee and get a good dinner every day.

## LOVELY EASTER HATS



Becomingness is the theme of this year's millinery song. This is attested by the three hats shown above. They vary widely in style and each differs from the others in shape and materials, but all are immensely becoming. There is a refined hat of milan with ribbon crown, a dashing shape in soft velvet with a long, graceful quill—all ready for the dawn of Easter.

## COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Fulton Circuit Court, Ky.  
W. A. Adams, etc., Plaintiff  
Against  
W. R. Carrigan, etc., Defendant—Equity.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Fulton County, rendered at the January Term thereof, 1918 in the above cause, for the purpose of division of proceeds with interest at the rate of — per cent, per annum from the — day of — 191— until paid, and the costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House door in Hickman, Kentucky, to the highest bidder, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on the 11th day of March 1918 at 2 o'clock P. M., or thereabout (being County Court day), upon a credit of six months the following described property, to wit:

Lot No. 3, in Section Fourteen (14) Township One (1), Range Seven (7), West, in Fulton County, Kentucky, known as the Ida May Ferguson Land, and containing twenty-two and two-thirds acres (22 2/3). Or sufficient thereof to produce the sum of money so ordered to be made. For the purchase price, the purchaser—with approved securities—must execute Bond—, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

W. B. AMBERG,  
Commissioner.

## Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System

The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c

Sheriff Walker and Deputy Thomas arrested a negro—Marshall Conwell—here Thursday who was wanted at Selmer, Tenn., on charge of "slacking." The local board there lost track of him Aug. 10, and sent an officer here for him immediately after his arrest.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Prueft are entertaining a fine 11-pound boy. The young man arrived Feb. 25th.

## AMERICAN MERCHANT MARINE SHOULD REVIVE RIVER TRAFIC.

Inadequate railroad facilities and the enormous and growing demands for transportation, has caused Congress to give serious consideration to taking some step that will revive water transportation on the lower reaches of the Mississippi. This valuable asset that has fallen to disuse in a way seems to be the one solution to the problem. Business interests at Hickman and along the line will naturally be interested in developments. In a recent article on this subject, a well known marine engineer says:

Cairo, situated at the junction of the Mississippi and Ohio Valley, and St. Louis at the mouth of the Illinois and the Missouri, are the logical northern termini of an extensive modern Mississippi river navigation. More than 700 miles from seaboard, as the crow flies, only 250 miles from Chicago, it would be declaredly seaboard by a stroke of the pen simply by practically applying the water rates effective between New Orleans and the Atlantic or Pacific sea board to St. Louis itself, or what would be the same, by the ship lines partial absorption of the present proportional freight rate between St. Louis and New Orleans on all commodities delivered at Cairo.

Four newly developed factors make this possible. The new definitely assured American merchant marine, the creation of the United States Shipping Board, the continued and growing congestion in Atlantic seaports and the gradual modernization of the Mississippi river floating equipment. An outlet to the Gulf harbors must be arranged which is at once effective, which will from the outset commandeer the freight from a large producing area without great soliciting efforts, by making the new routing extremely attractive, and the extraordinary cheapness of transportation on the lower Mississippi offers such an opportunity.

The navigation of the lower Mississippi, developed properly, will represent quite a new and unprecedented form of water transportation—not a transportation of freight in bulk, like ore and grain, as on the great lakes, not a transportation of building materials, fertilizer, rock and lumber, as on most canals—but a long distance barging and lightering of all commodities similar to the business carried in the port channels of New York harbor, comparable only to a hundred track railroad, to a rapid transit line, connecting two points 1000 miles apart, carrying products as well as raw material, crude and refined oil in tank barges; in short, all freight for import and export and coastwise trade, crated and packed properly.

This comparison of the almost canalized lower Mississippi with the channels connecting New Jersey with New York harbor is no exaggeration. In either case the freight commodities are loaded from the freight terminals into barges, the barges are towed a distance of twenty and forty miles to shipside, where they are unloaded into the ships. The terminal handling charge is the same in either case, and the only difference is the increased distance. Long distances are for the modern transportation expert almost welcome hindrances; greater distances reduce the cost per ton mile, permits the use of a larger equipment, a greater flexibility of the movement. The actual transportation charge on the great lakes never exceeded a mill per ton mile, and is now considerably below that amount. Translated into railroad terms, such a charge would be equal to 5 cents or 10 cents per hundred weight and represents only a fraction of the handling and terminal charges. And there will be a time when similar to the development of the great lakes shipping industry, this transportation cost can be cut in two.

It should not be forgotten that the influence of the tide is visible at the mouth of the Red river, 300 miles from seaboard, and that the Cairo level is not higher than 300 feet above seaboard, representing average slope of 3.5 inches to the mile, producing a current velocity of not exceeding 5 miles per hour and averaging 3 miles per hour. Such a river can be compared with a bay extending way inland similar to Chesapeake bay, with the only difference of a little more current and throughout shallower water. Not to use such an opportunity seems a crime on the natural advantages offered by nature.

It is proposed to build towboat and barge units of 8,000 to 10,000 tons capacity each, which, controlled by the Shipping Board, radiate from the port of New Orleans, carrying railroad freight from St. Louis, Cairo, and Memphis to New Orleans shipside and vice versa. The actual cost of water transportation, if confined to the lower portion (St. Louis to New

Walk-Over and  
Stacy-Adams Shoes

Stetson and  
Worth Hats

## WARNING!

### Just a Short Time in which to Buy Good Clothes at Present Prices

The time is so short now that no man can afford to delay a single day. Wise men—far-sighted men—men of keen judgment—are taking advantage of the opportunity to make an extra saving by buying their clothes before the advance in price.

Manufacturers' quotations for fall 1918, are sky high; the wool situation is proving more critical.

Fortunately, my stock of high class clothes for men and boys, is the largest ever had, and all purchased before the prices soared to their present height. Take a tip, buy your clothes now, whether you buy here or elsewhere

## Advance Styles

Leibovitz styles are always advance styles, and so far ahead of others that there is no comparison.

## Quality

Rest assured, gentlemen, that the high class Leibovitz quality will be maintained, come what may.

# Leibovitz

MEN'S COMPLETE OUTFITTER

Arrow brand  
Shirts and Collars

"Duchess" Guaranteed Trousers.

Leibovitz  
Guaranteed Suits

Leibovitz's Guaranteed All-Wool Suits

Orleans), a distance of 1,156 miles—similar to the distance on the great lakes, as Chicago to Buffalo, 290 miles; Duluth to Buffalo, 990 miles; and similar in original and eventual draft—will not exceed \$2.00 per ton, or 10 cents per hundredweight, so that the ship lines could well afford to absorb the transportation charge wholly or at least to such an extent as to make the new terminals at St. Louis, Cairo, and Memphis act like magnets for all export and coastwise freight originating in the whole central part of the United States, thus acting as a gradual relief of the continuously growing congestion on the Atlantic seaboard.

There never has been a real difficulty in the handling of freight wherever facilities are provided. The water transportation does not offer any real difficulty less than the navigation of the great lakes or on salt water. Freight once loaded in properly built non-sinkable, not-burnable river barges, pushed by powerful, modernized steel towboats, will arrive on schedule at the other terminal point.

## To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine. It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 30c.

Hickman needs more dogs very badly. Why, we now have not more than four or five dogs to each inhabitant and of course no one would say that we had enough dogs unless we had at least seven or eight to each inhabitant.

WANTED: All kinds of timber, all sizes and lengths, anywhere and in any amount; also railroad ties. The Govt. needs this material. Do your "bit."—C. M. Adams & Son, Agt., Hickman, Ky.

Mrs. Margaret Thomas and two children will leave this month for Fresno, Cal., to make their future home.

FOR SALE: Good, young work mules; guaranteed to be sound.—Paul Choate, Hickman, Ky. 3-7p

HOUSE FOR RENT.—See Doc Henry. 1c

SURGEONS agree that in cases of Cuts, Burns, Bruises and Wounds, the FIRST TREATMENT is most important. When an EFFICIENT antiseptic is applied promptly, there is no danger of infection and the wound begins to heal at once. For use on man or beast, BOROZONE is the IDEAL ANAESTHETIC and HEALING AGENT. Buy it now and be ready for and emergency. Price 25c, 50c, \$1.00 and \$1.50. Sold by Hickman Drug Co. Adv.

D. P. Leibovitz went to St. Louis first of the week to purchase new spring goods for the "Live Store." Mr. Leibovitz says about the only way to get merchandise now is to go after it and bring it back with you.

All kinds of seed potatoes at Bondurant Bros.

That princely gentleman of the "old school", Geo. B. Threlkeld, formerly of this city but now residing at Union City, spent a few hours among his friends in Hickman Saturday. While paying us a visit he ordered the Courier sent to his daughter, Mrs. R. F. B. Logan, at Ardmore, Okla., and also informed us of the serious illness of his daughter, Mrs. Grace Timsey, who became the mother of twin daughters some two weeks ago.

W. K. Hall, of Fulton, was elected president of the Southern Retail Lumber Dealers' Association, at their convention at Memphis last week.

Give a home boy your order for enlarged portrait. Work guaranteed and prices right.—H. C. Poyner, RFR. 2, box 127. 3-14p

Courier for three months 40c.

# COAL

I have just received a car of  
**COOKING COAL**  
which will be sold at

## \$6.25 A TON

Buy this coal for your cook stove or range. It burns better, is cleaner and comes in small lumps.

W. J. SPRADLIN

TELEPHONE NO. 130

## 600 YEARS OLD

Noah was 600 years old  
before he built the ark

Don't follow Noah's footsteps; do what you plan to do NOW. If you need Furniture, Paint, Window Glass, Screen Wire, Oil Stoves, get them now as they will not be any cheaper. We carry the largest stocks of these goods and can save you money, as many items were purchased before the last big advance.

## STARK & CO.



# COAL

## TO THE PUBLIC

The Fuel Administrator of Fulton County has issued an order permitting consumers to purchase and store during MARCH and APRIL their annual requirements of coal.

We suggest that you take advantage of this opportunity. We will give you a summer price of

**\$6.00 A TON**

Be reminded that the situation has not improved and conditions next season will probably be more serious.

W. J. SPRADLIN

TELEPHONE NO. 130

### SYLVAN SHADE NEWS.

The sophomore class will give a play March 15th, the proceeds will be used to purchase a dictionary. — C. G. McMurry went to Union City Saturday on business. — Will Clark and family attended the funeral of Hugh French's little daughter last Thursday. — Miss Mary Ballow visited Miss Nellie Ballow Sunday. — Misses Annie and Tommie Fleming visited in this vicinity last week. — Ed Brasfield and family are visiting W. N. Brasfield. He expects to move to this community. — Miss Louise Maddox, who has been sick, is able to be at school again. — Mrs. Wm. C. Underwood is visiting in Martin. — Miss Emily Maddox entertained the seniors Saturday night. — James and Forrest McMurry shopped in Hickman Saturday.

### NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the estate of A. N. King, deceased, will present the same to me properly proven as required by law on or before May 1st 1918 or the same will be forever barred, those owing said estate will call and adjust same at once and save costs. — Jessie McNeill, Administrator. 3c

Rev. J. B. Robinson, priest in charge of the Episcopal church at Fulton, has enlisted in the naval reserve, in an engineering capacity.

E. V. Pickley, Secretary of the Warrior River Transportation Co., of Mobile, Ala., was here on business Monday.

E. E. Reeves has plenty of coal on hand. Buy now; the coal supply may run short again any time.

Col. C. L. Walker and Capt. L. McMakin left Tuesday for Mobile and New Orleans on business.

MULES FOR SALE: I have 15 head of mules for sale of hire. — S. A. Choate, Hickman, Ky. 2p

Granulated sugar at 3c a pound at the Hickman Cash Grocery.

### FULTON CIRCUIT COURT.

The following suits have been filed with Circuit Clerk Hampton since last report:

Val Carpenter et al. vs. Don Corum. Suit on note.

U. S. Fidelity & Guarantee Co. vs. C. T. Bondurant, L. T. Callahan and R. L. Cheshire. Suit to recover premium on bond furnished in connection with levee contracts.

A. S. Barkett vs. Roy L. Hasmer and Tom W. Watson (Cairo). Barkett alleges he contracted for 950 ears of corn at a price of \$1.10 and defendant failed to furnish same. He sues for the difference in price then and now—amounting to \$1355.

Lillian B. Whelen vs. J. L. Whelen. Suit for divorce and \$1500 alimony. The couple were married in this county in 1895.

Cherrin, Shaw & Co. vs. A. L. Capps. Suit based on \$100 note.

Annie May St. John vs. Herman St. John. Suit for divorce. Couple were married in Obion county in 1911.

Mrs. Mabel Smith vs. J. B. Jones. Suit to recover on judgment. Amount involved \$225.

W. J. McMurry vs. Bart Bobbitt. Appealed from Quarterly Court. Suit involves a security debt of \$105.

If you will be in need of sweet potato plants this spring, write or call me at 69. Can furnish these through Nashville florist. — Miss Frankie Reid.

Misses Ida Scott Fleagle and Mary Frances Shelton and Messrs. Dick Evans and W. T. Woddlington, of Clinton, attended the dance here Friday night.

Capt. Johnson, Manager of the Ayer Lord Tie Co., of Paducah, was here on business Monday.

I have plenty of coal on hand. Call Home phone. — E. E. Reeves.

Al Faris has returned from a trip to Frankfort and Cincinnati.

Try the Hickman Cash Grocery's 15c coffee.

## Orchard Information

### PROTECT YOUNG FRUIT TREES

Snow Should Be Firmly Packed to Prevent Girdling by Rabbits and Field Mice.

The one and two-year old fruit trees, should have the snow firmly packed around each tree, grapevine, currant and gooseberry bush. Unless this is done, the trees may be girdled by rabbits above the snow line and the field mice under the snow.

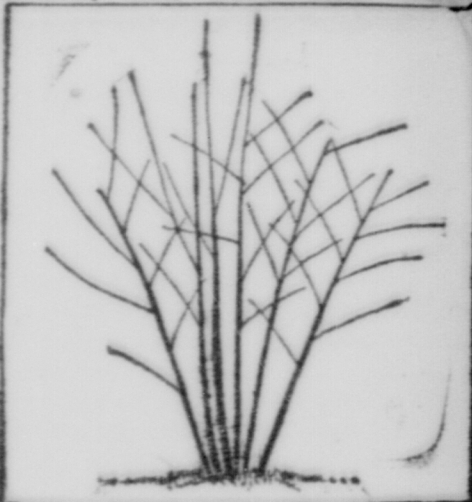
Much the better method is to have each tree and bush wrapped with a strip of tarred paper from six inches below the surface of the ground to 20 inches above the ground. Common brown paper may be used if the better quality cannot be had. It takes but a few minutes to wrap each tree.

Where the winters are severe and the snows deep, the tender bark of the large fruiting trees is often gnawed. The trunk of the tree and often the branches have the greater part of the bark completely destroyed. Field mice are more destructive than the rabbits, as they work under the snow and are much more numerous.

### TIME TO PRUNE RASPBERRIES

Work Must Be Done at Two Seasons of Year in Order to Accomplish the Best Results.

Because of its manner of fruit bearing, the black raspberry requires care in its annual pruning; in fact, pruning must be done at two seasons of the year in order to accomplish the best results. The young shoots as they appear from the roots in the spring should be tipped or disbudded when they reach the height of 18 inches. It is better to go over the plantations frequently, making three or four trips in all, in order to tip the canes when they are about the height mentioned, rather than to delay the operation until some of them have reached a height of 2 to 2½ feet. The early pinching or disbudding induces the development of more numerous lateral branches. Shoots which have been allowed to harden and to grow to 2 or 3 feet in height will form few lateral branches. If tipped when 18 inches high, a cane should produce four, five or six lateral branches. If allowed to attain a height of 3 feet and then cut back to 18 inches, it is probable that not more than two or three lateral branches will be formed; and, since these lateral



Typical Raspberry After Pruning.

branches form the fruit-bearing wood of the succeeding season. It is very desirable that the greatest possible number of branches be secured to insure a heavy crop of fruit. It is evident, therefore, that summer pruning predetermines the crop for the succeeding year more than does any other single cultural factor.

The second pruning, which is also important, consists in removing the canes which bore the last crop of fruit. This work can be done at any time after the crop has been harvested, but preferably during the spring following the crop.

### DISEASES OF PEACH TREES

Brown Rot and Scab Held Fairly Well in Check by Use of Lime-Sulphur Spray.

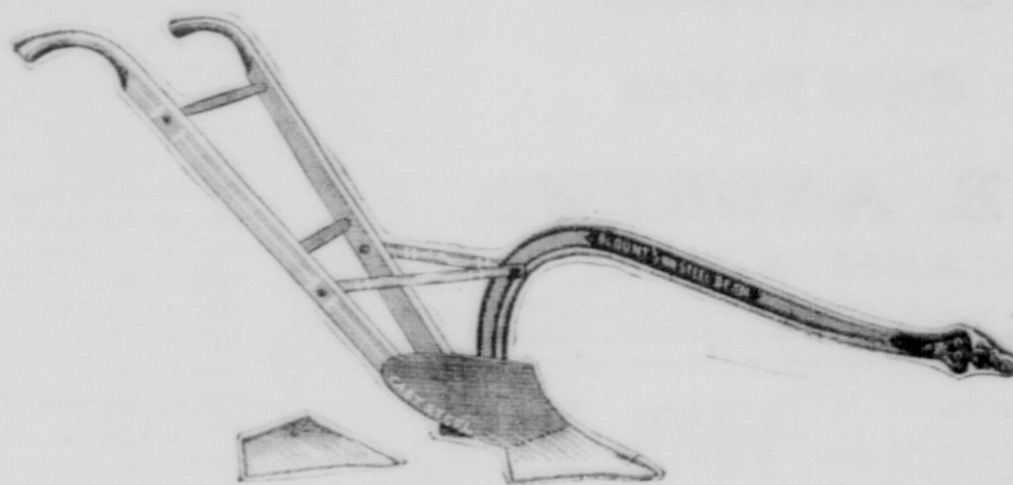
Brown rot and scab in peaches have been fairly well held in check in New Jersey by the use of the self-bolled lime-sulphur spray, but the best possible results have not always been obtained because the spray injured the trees in summer, so that growers put off the summer application. Now they have worked out a new preparation which has given satisfaction as a summer fungicide without injuring the trees. It is made by mixing eight pounds of fine dry sulphur with four pounds hydrated lime, dissolving one and one-half ounces of ground glue in three gallons of water, then thoroughly incorporating the two mixtures and diluting the whole with water to make 50 gallons.

### RABBIT DAMAGE IN ORCHARD

Given Credit for More Harm Than They Are Guilty of as Rule—Mice Do Most Injury.

Rabbits usually do less damage in orchards than they are credited with. In very young orchards or in nurseries they sometimes cut off the young branches and may occasionally gnaw the bark, but as a rule they do less damage than mice.

# CAR LOAD



## BLOUNT'S TRUE BLUE PLOWS

We have just received a car of these plows. For the bottom farmer there are none better. Don't put off buying, thinking prices will be lower next year, as it will pay you to buy them at present prices:

- No. 2 with cutter and smooth point - \$18.00
- No. 2 1-2 with cutter and smooth point \$19.00
- No. 3 with cutter and smooth point - \$20.00

For the hill farmer

## VULCAN & OLIVER

A full stock



HICKMAN HARDWARE CO., INC.

## Are You Protected?

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## ROPER DISTRICT NEWS.

Miss Annie Thomas, of Cayce, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Thomas.—Ed Bradshaw and Jack Pendleton, of Fulton, visited T. N. Clark Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Binford and children, of near Moscow, spent Sunday with Elmer Robertson and wife.—W. W. Prouett, wife and son, and Charlie Scan and wife visited Mrs. Lizzie Bradley, of Moscow, Sunday.—Miss Mary Ee'va Johnson, of Cayce, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Roper.—R. A. Fields went to Mayfield Wednesday to visit his father, A. D. Fields, returning Saturday.—Mrs. Fanny Henry and daughter, Mrs. Lee Davis, visited Mrs. Dop Bynum, of near Fulton, Wednesday.—W. J. Fields and children, Roper and Effie; Mrs. Jas. Roper and daughter, Laverne; Mrs. Arthur Roper, Dan Davis, wife and three children; Miss Jennie Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Drew Leip, and Mrs. R. A. Fields and daughter, Hazel, were in Hickman Saturday.—Mr. and Mrs. Drew Leip and children spent from Tuesday till Thursday visiting his mother, Mrs. Mattie Leip, of Jordan.—Miss Eula Clark, of Union City, and Miss Tommie Clark, of Hickman, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Clark, Saturday and Sunday.—R. A. Fields was in Fulton Tuesday.

## DESERVES A GOLD MEDAL FOR THIS

Cincinnati Authority Tells How To Dry Up Any Corn or Callus So It Lifts Right Off.

You corn-pestered men and women need suffer no longer. Wear the shoes that nearly killed you before, says this Cincinnati authority, because a few drops of freezone applied directly on a tender, aching corn stops soreness at once and softens the corn so it can be lifted out, root and all, without a bit of pain.

A quarter of an ounce of freezone costs very little at any drug store, but is sufficient to take off every hard or soft corn or callus. This should be tried, as it is inexpensive and is said not to inflame or even irritate the surrounding tissue or skin.

If your wife wears high heels she will be glad to know of this. Ad.

## FURNITURE FOR SALE.

We still have some furniture left, but this is being sold very fast. Many have told me they wanted different articles we have but have never come to trade, so we will appreciate your coming at once and getting what you wish. This furniture will either be sold at once or shipped away.

SYD. L. DODDS.

W. H. Treas is attending the bedside of his sister at Metropolis, Ill. She has been partially paralyzed for several weeks.

## VINOL MAKES WEAK WOMEN STRONG

Positive—Convincing Proof  
We publish the formula of Vinol to prove convincingly that it has the power to create strength.

Any woman who buys a bottle of Vinol for a weak, run-down, nervous condition and finds after giving it a fair trial it did not help her, will have her money returned.

Helms & Ellison, Druggists.

## PUTTING IT UP TO WILSON.

A lady of Glasgow, Ky., has voiced the sentiments of many Fulton county farmers in the following letter, addressed to Pres. Wilson: "My Dear President: What are we farmers to do? I am a farmer's wife. Having had such a severe winter farmers are fearfully behind in their work. The draft is taking quite a number of young men from farms. Now is the time to arrange for another crop. We are perplexed as to how much crop each farmer must plant when expecting to have to cultivate it alone. Every loyal and patriotic farmer is for you first, last and always. But how can each farmer plant enough for his own family and help feed our dear soldiers and Allies while his mainstay and help is serving in the army? Didn't the farmers do their duty last year? But how about this year with our boys gone? We want them to fight the Germans, but can they do this if we cannot feed them? Of all laboring classes, have the farmers ever had a strike, even when their produce did not realize them a living price? How many slackers, traitors or spies have been found among the farmers? They are your loyal friends, and we shall be thankful if you will have published in papers what we must do to relieve our great dilemma."

Mrs. H. E. Prather returned last week from a visit with her husband, Capt. (Dr.) H. E. Prather, at Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga. She reports the doctor looking fine and enjoying his work immensely.

Mamma's P. C. Flour, Puffed Wheat, Puffed Rice, Wheat Hearts, Cream of Wheat, Pettijohns Food, Rotted Oats, Krumbles, Grits, Pettijohns Beans, Flour, etc., at Bettersworth's.

John McFarland, wife and son have returned to Three States after a visit to Tom Hubbard and wife. Onion sets at the Hickman Cash Grocery.

## 93 FULTON COUNTY REGISTRANT FAILED RETURN QUESTIONNAIRES.

Ninety-three men, registered in Fulton county, failed to return their questionnaires or report for physical examination. This default on their part automatically places them in class one and they have been certified to the Adjutant General's office for his disposition. The names and last known post office address of these men are as follows:

Adolphus G. Williams, Fulton.  
Selmer Wiley, Tiptonville.  
Chester Hudson, Hickman.  
Herman James, Hickman.  
Sam Palmer, Grenada, Miss.  
Vernard D. Unsell, Hickman.  
Porter Berry, Fulton.  
Owen Prim, Bondurant.  
Tipp Webb, Hickman.  
Alfred D. Bradford, Hickman.  
Clarence Walker, Hickman.  
John Robertson, Hickman.  
Walter C. Roberts, Hickman.  
Levi Pierce, Dayton, O.  
Jim Kirk, Hickman.  
Will Jackson, Hickman.  
Harrison Ballard, Hickman.  
Robert Oscar Oliver, Hickman.  
Carl Jackson, Hickman.  
Sam James, Hickman.  
Albert Bennett, Fulton.  
Nathan Morris, Jordan.  
Vigle Donaldson, Hickman.  
Floyd Talmage Manley, Bondurant.  
Mark Haynes, Fulton.  
Wm. Clyde Watson, Hickman.  
Robt. Bryson Alexander, Hickman.  
Ellis Jones, Fulton.  
Aaron Gray, Hickman.  
Wheat Thos. Johnson, Ridgely.  
Walter Cooper, Paducah.  
Bill Pierce, Dayton, Ohio.  
Frank Funkhouser, Hickman.  
Ed Jones, Fulton.  
Frank Halladay, Hickman.  
Willie Moore, Hickman.  
Dunlap Perrine, Philippi.  
Robert Perry, Hickman.  
Walter Yandle, Dresden.  
Ernest McClain, Hickman.  
Noah E. Powers, Marston, Mo.  
Pink French, Hickman.  
Alfonzo Malone, Hickman.  
John Edw. Usher, Fulton.  
Clair Hubbard Butler, Tulsa, Okla.  
Rufus Wyatt, Hickman.  
Harry Williams, Nashville.  
Julius Roscoe Davis, Hickman.  
Dolley Williams, Cayce.  
Perry C. Groom, Jonesboro, Ark.  
Thurman Wilson, Hickman.  
John Gary, Memphis.  
Nathan Pierce, Hickman.  
Billie Hutchens, Fulton.  
Charles Barker, Fulton.  
Isaac Lee, Bartlesville, Okla.  
Charles McCarty, Hickman.  
Elbert Lee Carter, Tiptonville.  
Jesse Barr, Hickman.  
Bert Maton, Murray.  
James Harris, Dayton, Ohio.  
Elmer Smith, Hickman.  
Ernest Bishop, Elvins, Mo.  
Jim Bell, Fulton.  
Joe Potts, Fulton.  
A. D. Scott, Hickman.  
Wm. Paul Conn, Hickman.  
Charles H. Baird, Hickman.  
Frederick Wm. Jester, Fulton.  
Lawrence Daniels, Hickman.  
Charlie Williams, Hickman.  
Leman Turner, Hickman.  
Jim Herbert Hughes, Hickman.  
Webster W. Claypool, Fulton.  
Jno. Burnett Gaddie, Pitsburg, Pa.  
Herman O. Cole, Fulton.  
Isiah McClain, Chicago.  
Paul Johnson, Fulton.  
Alex Robertson, Hickman.  
Lee Jackson, East Moline, Ill.  
Worley Cox, Hickman.  
Clair Jackson, Hickman.  
Walter Carpenter, Hickman.  
George Watson, Hickman.  
John Merriweather, Cairo.  
Tom Callahan, Fulton.  
Tom Hodges, Fulton.  
Clark Flannigan, Houston, Miss.  
Johnnie Bruzon, Hickman.  
Lonie McMurtry, Fulton.  
Arthur Mitchell, Fulton.  
Will Brown, Hickman.  
Tom Utley, Hickman.

## SMALL FARM FOR SALE.

15 1/2 acres, just a little over a mile from Hickman, all in cultivation except about 2 1/2 acres. Four room residence, small barn and out-buildings, cistern and well, small orchard. Something over 7 acres productive "bottom" soil. On good rural route and telephone line. Just the place for the business man who wants a close-in little farm home. Price \$1800. Particulars at this office.

RESIDENCE FOR SALE: Nice, new 8-room residence, with garage, bath, all modern improvements. Very desirable location.—Henry Sanger.

Just received a new lot of ladies silk, crepe de chine and all over georgette dresses at our usual popular price, \$11.95 and up.—Dobson's.

Of 182 persons on board, 144 are missing from the British hospital ship Castle sunk by the Huns. Seven women nurses were lost.

## 22 Million Families in the United States

IF EACH FAMILY saved one cup of wheat flour it would amount to 5,500,000 pounds, or more than 28,000 barrels. If this saving was made three times a week, it would amount to 858,000,000 pounds, or 4,377,000 barrels in a year.

You can do your share in effecting this saving and really help to win the war by omitting white bread from one meal today and baking in its place muffins or corn bread made according to this recipe:

## Corn Meal Muffins

3/4 cup corn meal	2 tablespoons sugar
1 1/2 cups flour	No eggs
1/2 teaspoon salt	1 cup milk
4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder	2 tablespoons shortening

Sift dry ingredients together into bowl; add milk and melted shortening and beat well. Bake in greased muffin tins in hot oven about 20 minutes. Same batter may be baked as corn bread in greased shallow pan.

Our new Red, White and Blue booklet, "Best War Time Recipes," containing many other recipes for making delicious and wholesome wheat saving foods mailed free—address ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., DEPT. H., 135 William St., New York

FOOD WILL WIN THE WAR

## Kaiser Bill Knows Who Is Holding the Ace in Peace



## CARLS' LEMON JUICE IS SKIN WHITENER

How To Make A Creamy Beauty Lotion For A Few Cents.

The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing 3 ounces of orchard white makes a whole quart of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier at a cost of one cent per quart. Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whitener and beautifier.

Just try it. Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quart of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck and arms.

## CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for the kindness shown us during the illness and death of our precious little daughter and sister.—Hugh French and Family.

C. T. Bondurant and wife went to St. Louis Tuesday for a few days. Robert Coffee went to Paducah Tuesday.

## SEND CANDY TO SOLDIERS.

At the suggestion made by a soldier boy that the boys all love candy—home-made candy, the school children brought in all the sugar, butter, milk, eggs, etc., needed to make candy, and on last Friday night three of the teachers and several neighbors met at Miss Margaret Fugua's and made 45 pounds of candy. The high school pupils made candy and brought it in and when the box left here Saturday for the soldiers at the Base Hospital, Camp Taylor, Ky., it contained 60 pounds of candy and 6 cakes of sweet chocolate.

Another shipment, equally as large, will be sent this week. There are 1200 boys in the hospital six of whom are Fulton county boys.

The new skirts, we have a big stock to select from. Something new and different in black and fancy silks, at \$5.95 and up.—Dobson's.

The Courier is glad to welcome on its staff of news-gatherers a new correspondent in the Sylvan Shade neighborhood.

Tom Hubbard and wife expect to move to Three States about the 17th of this month where Mr. Hubbard will farm.

Leonard Guthrie was fined \$5 and costs in Judge Stahr's court Tuesday on charge of breach of peace.

Leonard Pratt, of Nashville, was here Sunday and Monday to see Miss Inez Roper.

Real Torchon laces, all widths, at 10c a yard.—Dobson's.

Shorty Hardin is in Paducah.

## KEEP RECORD FOR 1918.

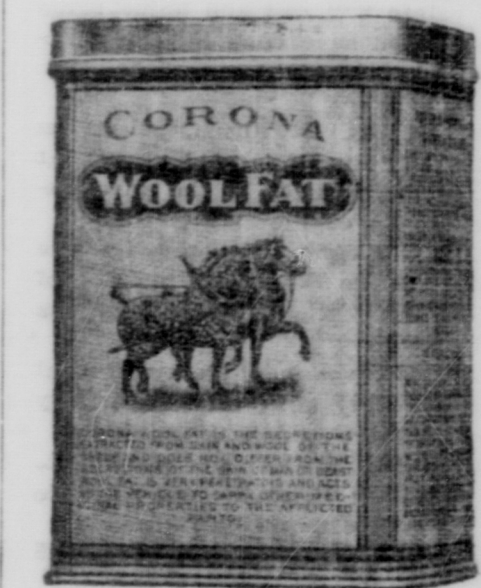
Say brother farmer, didn't you have a "Dickens of a time" to figure out your Federal and State Income Tax returns? Because you kept no record of your sales of live stock, wheat, corn, oats, poultry, eggs, etc., or of your expenses in running the farm, didn't you "sweat blood" to find out just where you stood? And don't you know these Income Tax laws will be with us for years to come and that the wise thing for you to do will be to start in right now to keep a correct record of the things you sell and buy during 1918, so that your returns next year all you will have to do subtract your exemptions and expenses from your income?

Our garden seed are fresh and reliable.—Bondurant Bros.

## HEALS

all kinds of cuts, wounds, bruises, etc., on man or beast. Should be in every home—and is positively guaranteed to please or your money back. Get a box of

Price 50c—\$1.00



## 'Corona Tonic'

a guaranteed hog cholera preventative and meritorious remedy for stock in general, is also handled by me.

Price 50c and \$1.00

J. E. MAY

Local Agent  
HICKMAN, KY., Rfd. No. 2.

## Suffered Several Years. PERUNA MADE ME WELL

Mrs. Elizabeth Reuther, 1002 11th St., N. W., Washington, D. C., writes: "I endorse Peruna as a splendid medicine for catarrh and stomach trouble, from which I suffered several years. I took it for several months, found my health was restored and have felt splendidly ever since. I now take it when I contract a cold, and it soon rids the system of any catarrhal tendencies."

Its My Standby for a Cold.

Those who object to liquid medicines can procure Peruna Tablets.



## REVIVAL MEETINGS

REV. E. F. ADAMS

Preaching every day at First Baptist Church of Hickman  
Week Beginning Sunday, March 10th

Now is your time to work for the best interests of Hickman. Don't pass up this opportunity to hear the Gospel.

COME EVERYONE



## SPRIGHTLY STYLE IN SPRING SUIT



There is no lack of variety in suits this spring—there is a style for every figure. Here is one that fulfills all the requirements of the mode—with short coat, slim lines and ingenious decoration. There is not an inch of cloth to spare in the skirt, and having saved to the utmost here, the designer was able to indulge the coat in sprightly ripples at each side of a back panel. Embroidery in a braided pattern of the same color as the cloth, and very small buttons make an elegant decoration.

## Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's.

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well-known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 60 cents.

## WHY THIS OUT-FLLOW OF LABOR AT HICKMAN?

For the last two or three weeks there has been an almost continuous stream of people moving away from Hickman. The freight agent has been busy billing household goods to various parts of Missouri, Tennessee, and Central Kentucky, while farm wagons are taking them to various farms in this and adjoining counties of Kentucky and Tennessee. The latter course is tolerable but the former should be stopped.

Laborers have been leaving this part of the country for some four or five years and this year will see a greater shortage than ever. This is due to unsettled labor conditions. A maximum amount of work is required on a minimum pay.

The farmer has about doubled his wage scale, whereas the public work pays about 10 per cent more than it did a year ago. A man has an offer of \$1.25 a day and board on the farm against \$1.50 a day and board himself; or he has an offer of \$1.50 or \$2.00 a day, house, garden and maybe a cow furnished, against the same in the public works and him pay high house rent, buy milk and butter and not a sufficient garden spot to accommodate a radish bed. The farmer is not paying too much. The fact is that public work here is not paying near enough. A man and his son who hardly made fifty dollars a month here are now in St. Louis drawing forty-five dollars a week. They were West Hickman citizens.

The employers should consider this great loss of laborers and remedy the matter by an immediate increase in wages of about 33 1-3. —Contributed.

## Notice To Property Owners Out Side of the City Limits.

All property owners living outside of the city limits desiring the service of the Fire Engine in case of fire will please register their names with Fire Chief Posey, said registration to be an obligation on part of said property owner, to pay all costs incurred by said Fire Company at said fires, that is the cost of firemen, chemicals and use of engine.

If your name is registered with said chief you will receive the same prompt service as given to property owners within the city limits.

If you are not registered with Fire Chief he will not respond to fire calls when property is out side of city limits. 314.

Attest: Jno. Pyle, City Clerk.

A. O. Caruthers, Mayor.

FOR SALE: Good common short staple cotton seed—of unknown variety, same being seed raised on my own land and the same seed I expect to plant this season, \$1.60 a bushel.—B. T. Davis. tfo

Call Reeves on Home phone for coal.

# At Last, We've Got It For Hickman

You have seen so much in the papers lately about the marvelous benefits received by the sick and suffering of Kentucky and other States by the use of the noted all-vegetable prescription known as VIN HEPATICA. (Pronounced VIN-HE-PAT-I-KA)

We have at last been able to induce the owners of this remarkable prescription to let us have the exclusive sale of it in this community. And now we have it.

We went after this great nature prescription VIN HEPATICA because we know what it will do in cases of catarrh and indigestion, biliousness, headache, sleep-

lessness, nervousness, weak and run down condition and other ailments arising from a disordered stomach, liver, kidneys or bowels. Some of the most noted medical experts in this country have pronounced VINHEPATICA a medicine of the highest merit.

The prescription is composed of eight of the finest herbal remedies known to medical science—remedies that have been prescribed by the medical profession for centuries. We stand right back of it with all our years of reputation for the handling of reliable medicines. We recommend only what we know to be good. We know that VIN HEPATICA is thoroughly reliable and so we recommend it.

VIN HEPATICA will start your torpid liver to work; relieve your indigestion; regulate your bowels; correct your disordered kidneys; soothe your aching back; renew your appetite; cleanse and tone up your entire system, and strengthen your vitality against the taking of colds, catarrh and other maladies so prevalent this time of the year.

It is the UNIVERSAL prescription for the restoring of health and the renewing of vitality. Come in and get a bottle and take it on our recommendation. It is pronounced VIN HE-PA-TI-KA.

## HELM & ELLISON

HICKMAN, KENTUCKY

### WORTH \$1,000 A BOTTLE IS VALUE CHATTANOOGA MAN PLACES ON VIN HEPATICA

WORTH \$1,000 A BOTTLE IS VALUE CHATTANOOGA MAN PLACES ON VIN HEPATICA.

(Reprint from Chattanooga News.)

"I wouldn't take \$1,000 for what one bottle of Vin Hepatica has done for me," says Mr. L. A. Cantrell, aged 75, chair worker of Miller avenue, Chattanooga, Tenn.

"It is worth \$1,000 a bottle. I have been troubled with kidneys for years, catarrh of the head and stomach. After eating a few bites my stomach would swell up like a pumpkin. I had the cramps, was fluky, had to be up almost every hour of the night on account of the condition of my bowels.

"But Vin Hepatica has changed all that. I don't have to get up at all in the night. I now eat potatoes, beans, onions—anything I had about decided I could not nor would not live another week, but after I saw

in the papers what Vin Hepatica has done for others in the same fix, I thought I would try it and now feel better than I have felt in 40 years.

"I have passed my 75th year and I could not have held up much longer the way I was troubled. But Vin Hepatica was certainly a life-saver to me and I heartily recommend it to my friends."

The fact is, Vin Hepatica is a Nature medicine and not a patent nostrum. It is a combination of eight of the finest herbal remedies known to medical science, remedies which are prescribed nearly every day by the leading physicians of the world, and they are all combined into one great Nature medicine for the kidneys, liver, stomach and bowels, and for toning up the system.

### GREATEST MEDICINE EVER MADE, SAYS TENNESSEE MAN

South Pittsburg Man Takes Vin Hepatica

(Reprint from Tennessee - American.)

"Money could not buy the benefit I have gotten from Vin Hepatica," says Mr. J. T. Gillispie, stone moulder of South Pittsburg, Tenn.

"I was in such condition that my energy had left me. I suffered with my stomach and had no appetite. Vin Hepatica cured me. It is the greatest medicine that was ever made."

MISS LANCASTER SAYS VIN HEPATICA IS GRAND MEDICINE.

Was Very Nervous From Indigestion and Result of Operation, But Vin Hepatica Restores her Health Again.

(Reprint from Chattanooga News.) "I was very nervous and greatly troubled with indigestion," writes Miss Hazel Lancaster, Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga.

"I had been operated on for appendicitis. Was under the constant care of a doctor without any results. I was so nervous I could hardly bear for anyone to talk. Seeing in the paper what Vin Hepatica has done for so many others, I thought I would try it. I did and I was greatly relieved in every way. My appetite is fine. I can hardly get enough to eat. Vin Hepatica is a perfectly grand medicine and I gladly recommend it to my friends."

### TENNESSEE FARMER'S WIFE WISHES EVERY FEEBLE WOMAN WOULD TAKE VIN HEPATICA

Testifies as to the Great Relief the Wonderful Nature Remedy Brought Her.

(Reprint from Nashville Banner.)

"I only wish every feeble woman and man would give Vin Hepatica a trial," declares Mrs. McCloy Malroy, well-known farmer's wife of Vanleet, Tenn.

"I shall never forget the drug firm of W. A. Bell & Co., who recommended it to me, nor the name Vin Hepatica, for what this great medicine has done for me. I feel much better in every way."

### ENDS NERVOUSNESS WITH VIN HEPATICA

East Tennessee Lady Almost Total Wreck Reports Marvelous Results from Taking Great Nature Medicine.

(Reprint from Knoxville Tribune.) Mrs. Mattie Lucas, R. F. D. No. 2, Haskells, Tenn., who was almost a nervous wreck, all broken down, and with scarcely any appetite on account of food souring on her stomach, says:

"I could not get anything to do me any good. A friend of mine recommended that I take Vin Hepatica. I have taken three bottles and feel like an entirely different person. I am not the least bit nervous, can eat anything I want, have gained in strength each day right along."

### POLICE LIEUTENANT'S WIFE UNDERGOES FIVE OPERATIONS

Had Been Sick for Ten Years Without Getting Relieved Until She Took Vin Hepatica.

(Reprint from Tennessee-American.)

Mrs. R. N. Long, wife of Police Lieutenant Long, of 1008 Hakey avenue, Waverly Place, Nashville, Tenn., is out and about her work again after ten years of sickness and the effects of five serious operations.

"If anybody ever was in a bad condition I was. Not only had I been sick for ten years, but in that time I had to undergo five operations which resulted in my being left in a horrible condition, greatly troubled with my stomach and spine and very nervous.

"I took all sorts of medicines, but my husband said so many friends of his had gotten such good results from Vin Hepatica that he wanted me to try it. I did and want to say right here that I feel better than I have for ten years."

Mrs. Long's experience is the same as thousands of others. Vin Hepatica is a real medicine, not a patent nostrum. It is composed of eight of Nature's finest herbal remedies, the same as leading physicians the world over prescribe in cases of nervousness, weak and run down condition, disorders of the stomach, liver and bowels. It is compounded with all the skill and care of the most particular physician's prescription.

### STOPS RHEUMATISM WITH VIN HEPATICA

Sixty-Eight Years Old West Nashville Lady Relieves Her Sufferings of Years by Taking this Great Nature Remedy.

(Reprint from Nashville Banner.)

Mrs. B. F. Carson, Sr., aged 68, of 4308 Utah avenue, West Nashville, Tenn., says: "I am entirely relieved of my rheumatism as a result of taking Vin Hepatica, the universal system purifier. I was a constant sufferer from rheumatism for years, was so nervous I could hardly rest at night.

"For a long time I was under the treatment of the most eminent physicians of this and other cities, but could get no relief until I took Vin Hepatica. I am entirely relieved and feel like a new person and wouldn't take the world for what it has done for me. It is simply wonderful."

Such is the testimony received every day, because Vin Hepatica is a real medicine for such troubles and gets the results. It is Nature's own medicine—a combination of eight of the finest herbal remedies known to medical science and are being prescribed by the best physicians the world over.

### NO MORE CALOMEL FOR THIS BARBER

"If a fellow was ever knocked out by anything, I certainly was by a good old-fashioned spell of spring fever this spring," said U. L. Bearden, well known Nashville barber, 243 Fourth avenue North.

"I have been using calomel, which was so sickening that I could hardly stand it. Not only did Vin Hepatica put me in fine shape again but it was so pleasant to take. I hadn't taken more than two or three doses than my drowsy feeling was all gone and I was feeling my oldtime self again."

### DOCTORS SAVE GIRL WITH VIN HEPATICA

Strange Case of Three Year Old Goodlettsville Girl That Had Baffled Skill of the Best Physicians.

(Reprint from Nashville Banner.)

"While the physicians did every thing in their power to save our little girl," said Mr. S. J. Watkins, of Goodlettsville, Tenn., "they could do her no good, as she was so weak, and finally said she could not get well.

"As a last resort one physician advised me to give her Vin Hepatica. I did and she took five bottles. She is now entirely well, sleeps well, and is growing in strength every day. No one knows how grateful we feel to this physician for suggesting the use of Vin Hepatica. It is simply wonderful what it has done for her. It saved her life."

Physicians are prescribing Vin Hepatica for the reason that it is a real medicine and not a patent nostrum. They know what it is. They know it is composed of eight of the finest herbal remedies known to the medical profession.

### VIN HEPATICA Relieves Indigestion and Biliousness

## DRUGGISTS

Desiring Exclusive Agency for VIN HEPATICA and Big Free Advertising Campaign for their town should write at once to

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### Hickman Bank and Trust Company

Hickman, Kentucky

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W. C. REED, Cashier  
JNO. PYLE, Asst. Cashier  
DIRECTORS: W. O. Johnson, J. P. Maddox, H. L. Amberg,  
O. G. Schlenker, J. T. Stephens, J. W. Cowgill, Chas. Noonan.

#### LEANDER ROBERSON DEAD.

Leander Charles Roberson, one of Fulton's most honored citizens died at his home, Friday morning, March 1, at 7:45 o'clock. He had been in feeble health for several months and confined to his room for the past two months. He was 57 years and three months old.

Mr. Roberson came with his family to Fulton and settled in the year 1890. He was first engaged in farming, later he conducted a livery business, in which he was prosperous and for the past few years he was employed in the special agent's department of the Illinois Central railroad, and at one time was deputy sheriff of Fulton county. He was a member of the Methodist church, the M. W. A. and W. O. W. lodges.

Besides his wife, the deceased is survived by two sons, J. H. and L. M. Roberson, two daughters, Mrs. Albert Smith and Mrs. Morton Williams, all of Fulton, and three brothers.

Courier for three months 40c.

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#### COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Fulton Circuit Court, Ky.  
Western State Hospital, Plaintiff,  
against  
Louis Boyle's Admr., et als., Defendants.—Equity.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Fulton Circuit Court, rendered at September Term thereof, 1917 in the above cause, for the purpose of settling the estate of Boyle, deceased, with interest at the rate of — per cent, per annum from the — day of — 191— until paid, and — costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House door in Hickman, Kentucky, to the highest bidder, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on the 11th day of March 1918 at 2 o'clock, P. M., or thereabout (being County Court day), upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit:

An undivided one fifth interest in Three hundred Twenty (320) acres of land, the same being the West half of Section Five (5), Township One (1), Range Four (4) West, all situated in Fulton County, Ky.

Or sufficient thereof to produce the sums of money so ordered to be made. For the purchase price, the purchaser—with approved securities, must execute Bond—, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

W. B. AMBERG,  
Commissioner.

If your horses, cows, hogs and chickens need medicine, try Common Sense Powder. Guaranteed to contain only pure drugs. Sold by H. C. Poyner, RFD. 2, box 127. 3-14p

FOR SALE: Metz Auto in good shape. Cash or good note. Have two cars, buyer can have choice. — Dec Pleasant. 1p

L. N. Gregory, a local contractor, and builder, has opened an office next door to Sheriff Walker's office. Rob Goulder was in Louisville last week.

#### NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Fulton County Fiscal Court, special term Feb. 14th, 1918.

In pursuance to an order of Fulton County Court on page 280 Order Book No. 3 in County Court Clerks office calling a Special term of Fulton County Fiscal Court, a special term of said Fiscal Court was begun and held at Court House, Hickman, Ky., this February 14th, 1918, with Hon. E. J. Stahr, Judge presiding and the following Magistrates answering to roll call:

S. M. Hewitt,  
C. D. Nugent,  
R. A. Browder,  
H. G. Shaw.

The following business was transacted, to-wit:

On motion of Esquire C. D. Nugent that a special election be held in the County of Fulton, Kentucky, on 23rd day of March 1918, submitting to the voters of said County the question of voting an annual tax of 20 cents on each One Hundred Dollars on all property subject by law to local taxation under section 157 A, of the constitution of the State of Kentucky for a period of 10 years for the improvement and construction of the public roads and bridges of said County, to which motion a second was duly made by Esquire R. A. Browder and the question was submitted to the vote of this Court and the members voted as follows, viz: Esquire R. A. Browder, Esquire C. D. Nugent, Esquire H. G. Shaw and Esquire S. M. Hewitt, being all the members present and voting "yea."

Whereas, it was declared that said motion was carried and it is now ordered and declared by this Court that a special election be held in said County on March 23rd, 1918, for the purpose of submitting to the legal voters of said County whether an annual tax of 20 cents on each One Hundred Dollars on all property subject by law to local County taxation for a period of 10 years shall be levied.

It is further ordered by this Court that no amount of money in excess of the amount that can be raised by the levying of any one year shall be expended in that year and it is further ordered that the amount of ad valorem tax be levied each year shall not exceed 20 cents on each One Hundred Dollars of assessed property for taxation for each year.

The clerk of this court is ordered and directed to cause to be prepared and printed a ballot for submission of said question as is authorized and directed by sub-section 3 and chapter 2 of the acts of the Kentucky Legislature at a special session in 1917, which question is as follows: "Are you for a property tax of 20 cents on each One Hundred Dollars worth of property in the county to be levied each year for 10 years for the purpose of improving or constructing, either or both, the roads and bridges of Fulton County, Ky?" And shall cause to be placed opposite said question on the right of same two small squares, one voting for said law and the other against the said law designated respectively by the words "Yes" or "No." The sheriff of Fulton County is directed to advertise the time and place of said election and the amount of tax to be levied each year in a public Newspaper in Fulton County, having the largest circulation, for a period of thirty days before said election. Said election shall be held by the regular election officers in said county in the regular polling places therein, in all respects provided for by law and the clerk of this court and the sheriff of said county are ordered and directed to proceed; as officers of said county as provided by law in case of regular election and the election Commissioners for said County will canvass and make due returns thereof in all respects as provided in Chapter 2 of the Acts of Kentucky Legislature passed in session of 1917 and recorded on pages 23, 24 and 25 of said Acts.

It is further ordered by this court that for the collection of the tax levied hereunder, the sheriff shall be entitled to a commission on the amount collected as provided by law for the collection of County Revenue.

There being no further business before the Court, on motion made, seconded and carried it is ordered that the proceedings of this meeting be approved, and the Judge hereof is ordered to attest his approval thereof, by attaching his signature hereto. And on motion made, seconded and carried it is ordered that court be adjourned.

E. J. Stahr, Judge, F. C. F. C.  
A Copy,  
Attest: O. C. Henry, Clerk,  
By Ella Monan D. C.

To whom it may concern:  
Pursuant to the above order of the Fiscal Court, there will be held

in the various voting precincts in Fulton County, Kentucky, an election March 23rd, 1918, on the above Road question as is provided by law on elections.

SWAYNE WALKER,  
Sheriff Fulton County, Ky.,  
By S. T. Roper, D. S.  
This February the 16th, 1918.

#### MANY FAMILIES MOVING AWAY. CAUSE SHOULD BE REMEDIED.

The business interests of Hickman had better wake up to the fact that we are losing a lot of citizens. From one to six families have been moving daily for the past two weeks—and the exodus continues. Their reasons for going are, high rents, low wages, high prices, easier to make a living on the farm, etc. They may be "jumping out of the frying pan into the fire"—and they may not. At any rate, it doesn't look good to see labor leaving a town or community where labor is already scarce. Depopulating a town does not help its growth or business prosperity.

If rents are too high, they ought to be lowered; if wages are too low, they ought to be raised; if living expenses are out of line with other towns, prices should be revised; if farm inducements are attractive elsewhere, why not in Fulton county? A remedy should be found and applied.

A Courier man happened in one of the Hickman depots Tuesday and found the household goods of the following folks ready for shipment:

R. S. Ingram, Nashville.  
E. G. Benham, St. Louis.  
A. L. Theford, Idlewild, Tenn.  
J. W. Marcell, Union City.  
M. Coleman, McKenzie.

Others are moving over the other railroad and some by trucks and wagons. The worst part of it is that it occurs every day. The average family have five members. Multiply the daily average of movers by 30 and see how much population decreases per month. How long will a small town hold its prestige under these conditions. To this, of course, must be added the list of active men who are taken away by the draft, plus a large number of volunteers. This doesn't take into account the floating or transient population formerly found here, but now attracted to points where the government offers employment.

What are we going to do about it?

#### \$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Medicine that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address P. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, Etc.

The Secretary of Agriculture has called upon urban people to aid the farmer during the coming crop season. "If soldiers are willing to serve in the trenches and risk their lives," he declared, "many civilians can well afford to spend a part of their time to serve in the furrows and in the harvest fields." This is splendid advice—but we're just wondering how many Hickman bullocks will be found following old Beck up and down the corn row?

A pain in the side or back that catches you when you straighten up calls for a rubbing application of BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It relaxes the contracted muscles and permits ordinary bodily motion without suffering or inconvenience. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Hickman Drug Co. Adv.

Leroy Clark, who was formerly a member of the Mengel Box Company's office in this city, and who is well known to many Hickman people, has been "Somewhere in France" for sometime.

Through my florist I will be able to supply sweet potato slips this spring in large quantities and will appreciate your orders.—Miss Frank Reid.

LOST: Saturday, between 10:00 and 2:00 o'clock 2 20-dollar bills. Will give \$5 reward if returned to the Courier office.—Chas Rinehart. 1p

FOR SALE: 3-story Buchanan building on Clinton street, in order to settle estate. Make offer to B. T. Davis. 1p

Mrs. John Holland, of Paducah, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Stubbs, who has been on the sick list.

Mrs. Arthur Hale and Miss Frank Peavler returned Friday from a few days stay in Memphis.

FOR SALE: Dalton Adding Machine in good condition.—Turk-Willow Hale Co. 1p

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1 3-burner oil cook stove, with oven.  
One 150 egg incubator, 150 Fine Fruit Trees, apples, peaches, cherries, pears, damson and apricot. Will sell cheap.—L. P. Ellison.

P. H. Weeks has purchased the handsome building occupied by P. H. Weeks & Son, at Fulton, from the Meado estate for \$14,250. Edwin Cook and Richard Rice have purchased the three-story brick business block on Lake street, known as the Collins building, from Ed Thomas. Place your orders early for Easter flowers.—Miss Frankye Reid.

#### COW AND CALF BRINGS \$130.

Just plain, ordinary cattle are fetching fancy prices today — compared with a few years ago. John Choate sold a cow and calf at auction on the streets of Hickman, Saturday, that brought \$130 cash. A good cow, but when that's said—all's said. A few years back the same stock could have been purchased for \$30. It merely shows that live stock are not going to be left behind in the high price parade, and should be an inducement to our farmers to raise more stock.

#### A TALK WITH A HICKMAN MAN.

R. B. Brevard, Prop. Hardware Store, Main & Union Sts., Tells of His Experience.

There is nothing like a talk with one of our own citizens for giving hope and encouragement to the anxious sufferer from the dread kidney disease. We, therefore give here an interview with a Hickman man:

"I think my kidneys got out of order from catching cold and my back ached and pained," says Mr. Brevard. "A friend recommended Doan's Kidney Pills and when I had any trouble with my kidneys, I used this medicine. I sure did get good results from Doan's and am glad to say a good word in their praise."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Brevard had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

It will be remembered that the Fiscal Court of Fulton county has called a special election for March 23, to vote on a 20-cent levy on each \$100 of assessed property, for a period of ten years, for improved roads and bridges. So far, we've heard very little expression of opinion on this matter. The election is only a little over two weeks off, and taxpayers should think the matter over and be prepared to vote for the best interests of the county.

Four American soldiers caught asleep while on sentinel duty in the first line trenches in France, have been sentenced to death, but General Pershing, although he has authority to carry out the sentence, has referred their cases to the war department for review.

Seed potatoes.—Bondurant Bros.

### It Helps!

There can be no doubt as to the merit of Cardui, the woman's tonic, in the treatment of many troubles peculiar to women. The thousands of women who have been helped by Cardui in the past 40 years, is conclusive proof that it is a good medicine for women who suffer. It should help you, too.

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Mrs. N. E. Varner, of Hixson, Tenn., writes: "I was passing through the . . . my back and sides were terrible, and my suffering indescribable. I can't tell just how and where I hurt, about all over, I think. . . I began Cardui, and my pains grew less and less, until I was cured. I am remarkably strong for a woman 64 years of age. I do all my housework." Try Cardui, today. E-76

#### But it Needn't be a Tornado!

You may rest secure in your faith that no TORNADO—no regular rip-snorting twister—will ever come your way! PERHAPS! One can never tell. You will not DENY, however, that your property has to withstand many DESTRUCTIVE WINDS each year. Do you know that TORNADO policies incur many more losses from WIND STORMS than from genuine tornadoes? Windstorm policies are trifling in cost but they have lifted many a grievous burden from overweighed shoulders. It is NOT can I afford to? but rather can I afford NOT to?

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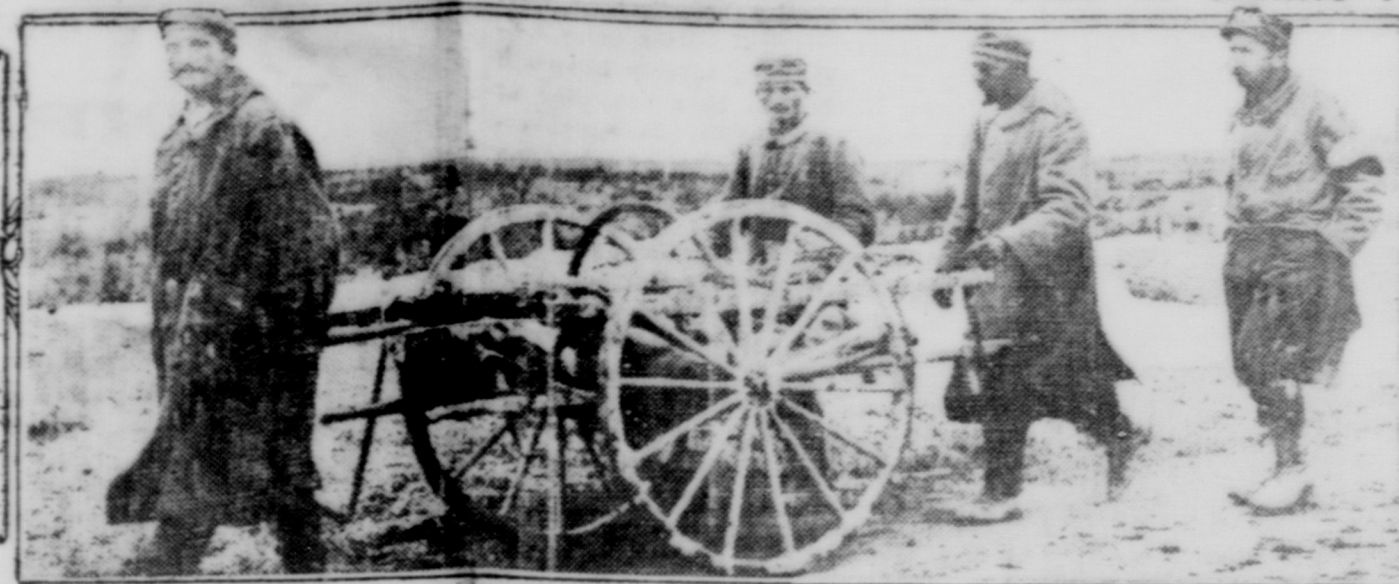
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## FRENCH MAKE HUN WAR PRISONER EARN HIS SALT IN CARING FOR WOUNDED SOLDIERS



Making the Hun help care for those wounded by the Kaiser bullets, is hospital work inaugurated by the French. Here is a late picture from the western front showing German prisoners, under the guidance of a French Red Cross worker, assisting in the bringing in of the wounded French soldiers. The stretcher is slung under a two-wheeled cart. Fritz does not object to the work and much prefers it to idleness in a prison camp.

As to what disposition the Sammies will make of our war prisoners has not been announced as yet by the war department, but it is a certainty that the United States can profit by France's experience. The Sammies say there are going to be many prisoners too, when their leader, "Black Jack" Pershing, gives the word.

### CITY CEMETERY FINANCES.

The City Council has undertaken to look into the financial workings of the city cemetery, and a committee has been appointed to investigate and make a report. While the city spends considerable money on the up-keep of the cemetery, the returns seem proportionately small, especially as regards the revenue from sources outside the city limits, from which no taxes are derived. It is likely a set of new rules will be adopted governing this matter.

### WILL SPEAK HERE MAR. 12th.

Hon. E. L. Powell, of Louisville, will speak at Hickman on the evening of Tuesday, March 12th, on the subject of the "World War." He is said to be one of the best posted and most eloquent speakers that ever visited our city, and every one is extended a cordial invitation to hear him. Where he will speak has not yet been announced, but it likely be at the Court House.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

The revival will begin next Sunday. Don't forget the time, but make a point to come.  
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.  
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.  
You are invited to attend.—H. M. Crain, pastor.

### MASONS HAVE SERVICE FLAG.

The Masonic lodge at Hickman has displayed a service flag with five stars. The members in service are Dr. H. E. Prather, Dr. P. B. Curdin, Rev. H. J. Geiger, Nolen Poole and Guy Ledwidge.

### NEW GARAGE NOW OPEN.

Under the firm name of Wright & Parrish, Cayce B. Parrish and Mitchell Wright, have opened a garage and Maxwell agency in the old Ellison feed store building. They have several cars in stock and a good mechanic employed to look after repair work. Give them a call. 1c

### AUCTION SALE

TUESDAY, MARCH 19.

Syd. L. Dodds will have a clean-up auction sale, commencing at 9:30 Tuesday morning, March 19, and will close out absolutely everything he has, embracing his fine herd of Herefords, mules, and all farm implements of every description, also all of his household goods. Don't forget the date.

Smoke Spana Vistas—only 5c.  
M. Noshay is opening a tin shop next to the Hendrix garage.

Mrs. A. B. Fleming left this morning for Riceville, N. J., to join her husband, Lieut. Fleming, who is stationed there.

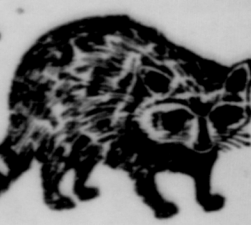
A Mrs. Conner, restaurant keeper in the west end, was arrested yesterday on charge of violating the local option law. She is in custody of Jailer Posey, pending trial.

The Kentucky legislature has passed a law prohibiting the shipment of liquor into dry territory, except for medical and sacramental purposes. This will effect at least a hundred counties of the state, including Fulton county. Certain amendments were offered, but the law-makers have "ceded" and "receded" until we are unable to give the final status of the bill. It is said the law will become effective in 60 days.

It is now hinted that the next draft will be made on or before April 1st—a month earlier than expected.

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### OUR FIGHTING MEN TO BE PROTECTED BY MORATORIUM.

giving sweeping protection to Uncle Sam's fighting men, the so-called soldiers and sailors civil rights bill was approved Monday by Congress.

Under the provisions of the bill fighting men and their dependents are protected against eviction for nonpayment of rent, loss of life insurance through delayed premiums, the execution of mortgages against their property, loss of their homes on which part payment has been made, taxes, or loss of a homestead through absence or nonpayment of fees.

All this protection is given on the condition that a man's normal ability to meet his obligations has been "materially affected" by his military service.

Its most important features follow:

A lawsuit cannot be settled against a man who is unable to appear by reason of military service. Courts must appoint attorneys for such defendants.

A lawsuit begun by a person who later enters military service may be postponed until the man in service is able to give it personal attention.

A soldier's wife or family cannot be evicted from any premises, rent for which does not exceed \$50 per month. The court may inquire into all such cases, and make "such order as may be just." An attempt to evict shall be punishable by a fine of \$100.

On homes being bought on installment payments, the contract shall not be foreclosed for nonpayment unless a court so decides after an investigation. The court may then order all payments to date refunded. The court may stay any proceedings altogether.

Insurance is defined to include benefits from fraternal or benefit societies as well as commercial life insurance. Nonpayments due to military service shall not invalidate the policy up to one year after the close of the war.

Nonpayment of taxes cannot result in the sale of a fighter's property. This includes assessments and levies of every sort for either national, state or local government.

Mine claims, timber claims, and farm claims all are guarded against foreclosure by the government either for failure to perform work, absence, nonpayment of fees or failure to make improvements.

General provisions are made that courts may enter such judgments in all cases as may enter such judgments in all cases as may be "equitable" both to the debtor and creditor. Making of reasonable arrangements instead of enforcing the absolute provisions of the act against either party to suit under the bill is discouraged.

### ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Friday, March 8th.  
Holy communion 8 a. m.  
Liturgy and address 7:30 p. m.  
Subject, "The Solitude of the Passion."  
Fourth Sunday in Lent, March 10.  
Holy communion 8 a. m.  
Sunday School 10 a. m.  
Holy communion and sermon 11 a. m.

Subject, "Amendment of Life."  
Evening prayer and sermon 7 p. m.  
Subject, "A Question to be Asked."

Friday, March 15th.  
Holy communion 8 a. m.  
Liturgy and address 7:30 p. m.  
Subject, "The Sympathy of the Passion."  
Rev. W. F. Renneberg,  
Rector.

Lee Dunn was here Tuesday looking after the moving of his household goods to Hartsville, Tenn., where he is now located.

Hubert Moss and Miss Ruth Kendall, of Clinton, were united in marriage at Fulton Sunday.

Puffed Rice, Puffed Wheat, Corn Flakes, Post Toasties  
Kellogg's Bran, Kellogg's Bran Flour, Shredded  
Wheat, Cream of Wheat

Aunt Jemima and Mamma's Pancake Flour, Meadow  
Gold Creamery Butter, Armour's  
Clover Leaf Oleomargarine

LaCreole Brand New Orleans Molasses. We have two  
barrels of this delicious syrup we offer at 75c a gallon

Some very fine Breakfast Bacon at 42c a pound

Don't forget our Beechnut Demonstration to be  
held on the 28th and 29th of this month. Every-  
one is invited to attend. The Beechnut people are  
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### BUNTIN FOUND GUILTY OF \$12,000 EXPRESS ROBBERY.

Will Buntin, formerly of Tiptonville and well known in Hickman, was found guilty, Tuesday, of robbing an American Express car, between Hickman and Dyersburg, on the C. M. & G. Ry., of \$12,000. The jury only took one vote and found him guilty. The penalty is from 5 to 15 years in the penitentiary.

Belfield Chamblin, of this city, express messenger on the run from Dyersburg to Hickman, was in charge of the car on October 18th, when two masked men boarded the train, tied and gagged him, took his keys, opened the safe and took two money packages, each containing \$6,000 in currency. The robbers escaped from the train before the next regular stop was made and made a good escape. The money was consigned by Memphis banks to banks of Lake county.

In November detectives of the express company arrested Will Buntin at Caruthersville, Mo., on suspicion of being one of the men wanted. Buntin claimed he was in Oklahoma at the time the robbery was committed. His alibi failed to "hold water."

### MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED.

Mrs. Ester Parker Riggs, 23, and W. A. Malone, 63. Both of Hickman.  
Miss Eva Linder, 17, and Sam Philmister, 27. Both of Missouri.  
Miss Harriett Jane Simpkins, 16, daughter of James Simpkins, and A. E. Bynum. Both of West Hickman.

### For Indigestion, Constipation or Biliousness

Just try one 50-cent bottle of **LAX-FOS WITH PEPSEN**. A Liquid Digestive Laxative pleasant to take. Made and recommended to the public by Paris Medicine Co., manufacturers of Laxative Bromo Quinine and Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic.

Milon Glidewell was slightly bruised up last Friday night when he got off a train at State Line. He thought the train had practically stopped, but it was running about 20 miles an hour.

It makes a boy feel good to know he is not forgotten. Send an identification case.—Brooks.

Mrs. Joe Terrell, Jr. has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Adair, at Kansas City.

Miss Ethia Wright has accepted a position in the office of the N. C. & St. L. Ry.

Dr. C. A. Wright was here from Cayce on business Tuesday.

John Daniel and family moved this week to Johnsonville, Tenn.

New Val laces at 5c a yard at Dobson's.

### ROUTE FIVE NEWS.

Mrs. Jeff Westernman is very sick.  
—Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Howard visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Norrid, of near Union City, Saturday and Sunday.—The young people attended a singing at Tom Bondurant's Sunday afternoon.—Theo Leopold sold his farm to Sterling Morris. He will move on it at an early date.—Miss Vivian White went to Union City Saturday to visit her parents.—Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Howard, of No. 7, visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Caldwell, Saturday and Sunday.—Annie Lee Esque visited in Union City Saturday night.—Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Thomas entertained the young society set Saturday night with a party and music. All reported a grand time.—Henry Wall, of Protemus was a social visitor in this community Sunday.—The farmers of this locality are hauling corn to Hickman while the roads are good.—J. S. Burcham went to Middle Tennessee on special business Monday.—W. L. Williams sold a fine pair of mules Monday. He received the sum of \$460 for them.—Mrs. Henry Hutchison visited at Dr. Nichols Sunday for medical treatment.—Mrs. Charlie Hawkins, of Freeport, visited her sisters, Mrs. Zack Wilson and Mrs. Dock Kirk, this week.—Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Flippin, of Cobbs Chapel, visited the latter's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Mosier, Sunday.—Mrs. Bob Asene and Mrs. Luther Wilson were in Hickman shopping Friday.—Herman Clor was in Union City on business Saturday.—H. W. Hicks was in Hickman Saturday on business.

The coal situation has improved to such an extent that County Fuel Administrator C. L. Walker has given the coal dealers the privilege of supplying customers with coal for next winter's use. It might be wise to fill your bin now—as a bird in the hand is worth two in the bush.

Fire broke out in the Dodds Electric Cotton gin last Friday afternoon, but was promptly extinguished. The damage to electrical apparatus amounted to \$40 or \$50; otherwise the loss was negligible.

STRAYED: Saturday night from Mengel Box Co. yard, dark bay mare, branded "L" on left hip, wire cut scar on right foot. Notify Mengel Box Co.

Tinware, Hardware, granteaware, Glassware, and all kinds of ware at Beiterworth's.

Steel and copper plate engraving of all kind.—The Courier.

Hot cakes and maple syrup at the Busy Bee.

Marshall Parks has located in St. Louis.

### RESIGNS AS CHIEF CLERK.

Rev. W. F. Renneberg has tendered his resignation as chief clerk to the Local Exemption Board, after several months of efficient and painstaking service. He steps down and out on account of having many other duties which require his attention. Mrs. T. R. Powell, clerk in the county judge's office and who has had considerable experience in handling the draft work, will likely take Rev. Renneberg's place.

Judge E. J. Stahr left Tuesday for Frankfort and Louisville on business. Ex-sheriff Bailey Huddleston was sworn in as county judge pro tem in the absence of Judge Stahr.

Engraved wedding invitations, announcements, calling cards, etc., at this office. Finest work; lowest prices. See our samples.

Col. C. L. Walker returned Friday from several days business trip to Louisville and Paducah.

New goods coming in daily. Visit our store; always glad to show you.—Dobson's.

Dee Reid has been on the sick list.

### TWO TO REFORM SCHOOL.

Roy Sisson, a Fulton lad, who ran away from the reform school, was caught in that city and returned to that institution this week, being accompanied by County Attorney McNeill. Richard Pardue, also of Fulton, convicted of petit larceny, was also taken to the reformatory. He is 15 years old.

J. H. Millet and wife, who have been spending several weeks with their son, Harry Millet, and wife, in Jacksonville, Fla., and relatives at Titusville, Fla., returned home Saturday.

Wm. Jennings Bryan was hooted down by a Toronto, Canada, audience which he was to address on the subject of prohibition.

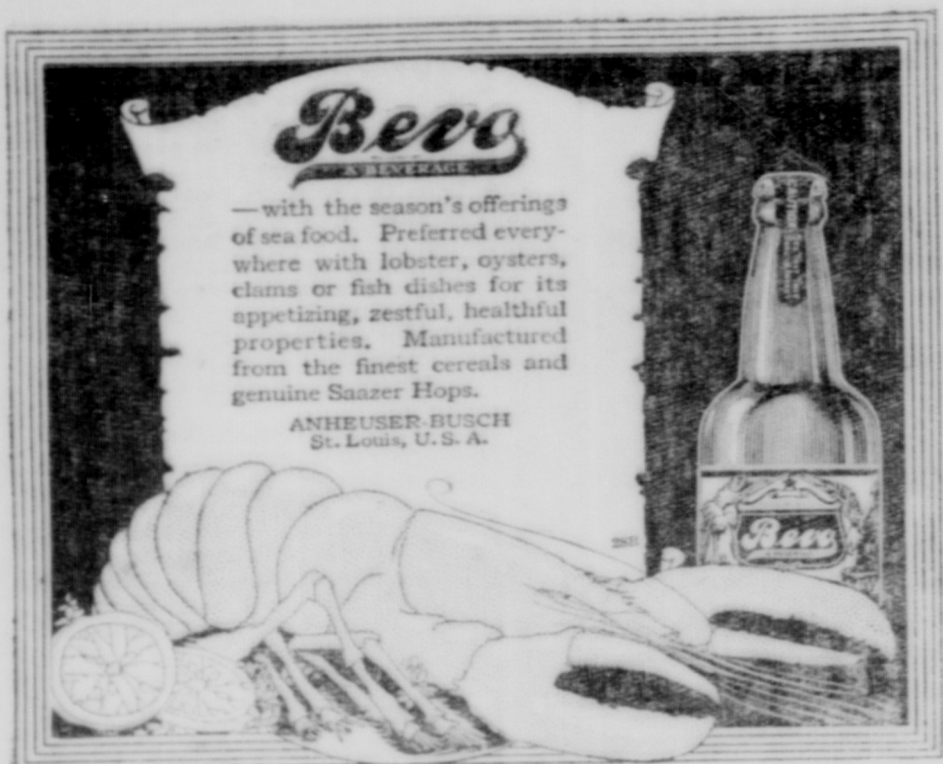
Military Wrist Watches, especially adopted for army, navy and aviation convenience.—Brooks.

Dave Morgan and family have moved to Hoenwald, Tenn.

Born, Feb. 27, to Chas. Council and wife, a daughter.

Glasses properly fitted at a small cost.—Brooks.





**Beck's**  
—with the season's offerings of sea food. Preferred everywhere with lobster, oysters, clams or fish dishes for its appetizing, zestful, healthful properties. Manufactured from the finest cereals and genuine Saazer Hops.  
ANHEUSER-BUSCH  
St. Louis, U.S.A.

## NOTICE TO PUBLIC.

To all merchants, grocers, persons, firms or corporations retailing sugar in Fulton county:

You and each of you are hereby given notice that on and after Wednesday, March 6, 1918, in Fulton county, the retail price of sugar is fixed at 9c per pound to the purchaser. Any merchant, grocer, person, firm or corporation selling sugar at a higher price than 9c per pound, on and after said date, will be guilty of profiteering.

Purchasers of sugar charged a higher price than 9c per pound on and after said date will please report the fact to the undersigned.

By order of the State Food Administrator.

This, March 2nd, 1918.

Herschel T. Smith, Fulton County Food Administrator, Fulton, Ky.

## 160 ACRE FARM FOR SALE.

I have 160 acres of fine land near Hamburg, Ark., that I will sell for \$12.00 an acre. \$1000 worth timber, 40 acres prairie (makes fine prairie hay), all land level and tillable. Terms: \$2.50 an acre cash, balance, \$1 an acre every year. If you go see this land and find we have misrepresented it in any way, we will pay your transportation. Adjoining land raises 1,000 pounds cotton to acre; and 3 1/2 acres sweet potatoes brought owner \$825; also two tons loperdenza to acre. Reason for selling—am drafted. See Najeeb Salamy or Mose Barkett, Hickman, Ky.

Isaac Shuff left at this office Saturday a sack of delicious Winesap apples—which we appreciate. But that is not the main part of the story. These apples were fine, firm fruit and had laid on the ground from last fall until March 1st without damage, indicating that, although the temperature reached 18 below, it was hardly more than 32 above under the snow. He also tells us that wheat is looking fine, and for the first time in 40 years, he finds no signs of the Hessian fly. He attributes both these encouraging features to the blanket of snow that covered the earth for months.

Ernest Sams, age ten years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sams, of near Crutchfield, died Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock in the hospital at Cairo, where he had been taken for an operation for appendicitis.

FOR SALE: Eight head of good work mules—in good shape. Cash or good note.—McMurry Bros., Hickman, Ky.

Did March "come in like a lion or lamb?"

## LABOR SHORTAGE WILL HAVE TO BE RELIEVED.

WASHINGTON, March 2. — Need for a fixed plan to relieve the labor shortage in agricultural districts caused by the draft, was urged today in the Senate debate. The uncertainty, Sen. Borah, of Idaho, declared, was deterring farmers from putting in crops.

"What is the government to do with the men when they do draft them?" asked Sen. McCumber, of North Dakota. "I don't see any need of drafting any soldiers between now and next fall. With the present situation, we can't put 50,000 soldiers over in France in 1918."

Sen. Smith, of Georgia, said he had been advised that the provost marshal general would shortly issue an order which would relieve the farm labor situation.

Challenging Sen. McCumber's statement that a half million men could not be sent to France this year, Sen. Kirby, of Arkansas, Democrat, of the military committee, declared:

"We will see ten million men in camp and 3,000,000 across the seas before the war is finished."

"In my State the Indians would call that much big talk," retorted Sen. McCumber, "but that big talk isn't going to win the war. In 1917 we promised the allies 6,000,000 tons of ships. We didn't give them two million tons. We promise them nine or ten million tons in 1918. The present outlook is for not half of that."

"I'm getting tired of this profiteering business," interjected Sen. Williams, Democrat. "The American people haven't suffered any hardships. We haven't put our front toe into the temple—only complain and complain. What's the use of all this profiteering camouflage? We talk about peace at one end of Pennsylvania Avenue and about war at the other end. What we want is men and ships."

One of our Union City exchanges says: Manager Pittman report that quite a large number of loads of cotton were purchased this week by the Lake County Cotton Gin Company. The quality ranged from very bad to very good, making the price paid range from 5c to 12c per pound in the seed.

Work on the new residence for Miss Jessie Outten is moving right along. When finished, this will be a spacious, modern home.

THREE YEAR OLD MULE FOR SALE: Cash or credit.—N. L. Rice, Route three, Home Phone R129, 1p G. B. White, of Cayce, was here on business Saturday—and left \$1.50 for the Courier a year.

## LIBERTY LOAN CAMPAIGN WILL OPEN APRIL 6th.

On April 6th, the first anniversary of the United States entry into the war, the third Liberty Loan will open. There will be a campaign of three or four weeks. In announcing the date Secretary McAdoo said the amount of the loan, the interest rate and other features such as convertibility of bonds of previous issues, maturity and terms of payment, are yet to be determined, and that new legislation will be necessary before plans can be completed.

The fact that the amount of the loan is dependent on further legislation indicates that it will be for more than \$3,000,000,000 the remainder of authorized but unissued bonds, and the fact that certificates of indebtedness now being sold in anticipation of the loan bear 4 1/2 per cent affords some indication of the interest rate.

How large the loan shall be depends largely, however, on the fate of the pending war finance bill carrying an appropriation of a half billion dollars and action on the railroad bill, with its appropriation of a similar amount.

Although Mr. McAdoo made no specific announcement, it is now taken for granted in official circles that there will be but one more loan before June 30, the end of the fiscal year.

The statement concerning the late of the campaign was made at this time, Secretary McAdoo explained, to give every community time to prepare for the big loan sale, and he strongly advocated popular demonstrations of patriotism on the day of the opening of the loan and the second year of war.

## BIDS TO BE RECEIVED FOR ROAD WORK FOR 1918.

Notice made seconded and carried it is ordered that the County Court Clerk advertise for sealed bids to be received by the Fulton County Fiscal Court on the 2nd day of April 1918 at the Court House, Hickman, Ky., for the grading, dragging and repair work on Fulton County roads, during the year beginning April 1918. Bids to be received prior to 1 o'clock on April 2nd, at which time such bids as are received will be opened and contracts awarded. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Bids for grading must be accompanied with certified check in the amount of \$200.00 to guarantee that successful bidder enter into contract.

Bids for grading will be considered at a price per mile for all roads in Fulton County and also at a price per mile for all roads in any Magisterial District. Bids for grading should be submitted alone, or grading and plowing, or plowing, grading and slip scraper work, necessary to put each and every mile of road included in bid in good condition, provided however that such bid or bids should not be made to cover or include such fills or holes as are necessary to be made at times on the Dyersburg Road.

Bids for dragging will be considered at a price per section for the dragging and upkeep of such section for a period of one year from April 2, 1918 or at a price per round for each round made with the drag during one year from April 2, 1918 on such section of road as specified in bid submitted.

It is further ordered that E. J. Stahl and R. Y. McConnell be, and they are hereby appointed a committee to draft specifications and contracts, and blank proposals to be furnished bidders desiring to submit bids on above work and that such blank proposals and specifications may be had by those who desire to submit bids calling upon the County Clerk, the County Judge, the Road Engineer or any of the Magistrates.

E. J. STAHR, J. F. C. F. D. A COPY.  
Attest O. C. Henry, Clerk, F. C. F. C.  
By Ella Monahan, D. C.

## MEDICINE VS. FOOD.

Do not buy something which you already have. You have food which you feed your horses, cattle and sheep, but when you want medicine, buy only medicine. That is what you get in B. A. Thomas' Stock Remedy. We sell it and guarantee it to be medicine. We tell you that it will tone up the entire system of your stock and add digestion, thereby causing them to get all the food value out of the grain that you feed them. Sold by F. E. Case, Ad.

New SPRING SUITS strictly tailored and tempting prices at Dobson's.

WANTED: Plain sewing and all kinds of tatting to do.—Mrs. Geo. Glaser, 3-7p

## ON SPECIAL DISPLAY

# Women's Silk Dresses

## For Spring at \$13.95



Dresses which have just the degree of simplicity which belongs nowadays to the garments intended to be worn, both for street and afternoon. Colors are sand, blue, gray, copens. Many are combined with Georgette. All in all these are freshest, cleverest, smartest-looking little frocks that it has ever been our pleasure to offer our customers.

There is a Light Air of Youthfulness About the

## New Dresses

For Spring Wear

Any woman with an ounce of clothes interest won't be able to pass by such attractive frocks as these. We would like very much to show you.

**\$17.50**

## THE MILLINERY SHOP

Here you will find a variety of smart new Hats at \$1.48 and up

Just Arrived

## New Gingham

In Fashionable Plaids at 25c, 35c, 50c a yard

Clear, fresh plaids, in all the gay pretty color combinations you can think of. They are all the fashion for morning frocks, for children's dresses and for all the many uses to which sturdy ginghams are put.

# DOBSON'S

## The Popular Price Store

## MILLION DOLLAR COTTON DEAL.

The largest cotton deal in the history of the business in Tennessee was consummated in Dyersburg Thursday, when the local office of Black & McFadden bought of the Lake County Manufacturing Company 6,000 bales of high-grade cotton approximating in value one million dollars.

President Wilson has signed an order authorizing the construction of a water power dam at Muscle Shoals, Ala., as part of the \$60,000,000 project for a Government plant there for the fixation of atmospheric nitrogen for use in the manufacture of munitions and fertilizers.

Just received a new lot of ladies silk, crepe de chine and all over georgette dresses at our usual popular price, \$11.95 and up.—Dobson's.

There is a rumor afloat that the selling of eggs is to be prohibited. This is false.  
New Dress Goods at Dobson's.

## LITTLE ROBT POLSGROVE DEAD.

Robert, the little ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Polsgrove, of near Jordan, died Friday morning, following an illness of about ten days. His illness started with rheumatism, later affecting the brain. The little body was buried at Liberty Saturday morning.

Burglars broke in the store of J. W. Pressly, at Troy, last Tuesday night and appropriated goods to the value of \$300, including clothing, silks, hosiery, jewelry, etc. A horse belonging to Jas. Clemmons was found afterwards which had been ridden to River.

Hickman has an ordinance against running cars with the "cut-out" open. It ought to be enforced. The cut-out is both needless and a nuisance.

The new skirts, we have a big stock to select from. Something new and different in black and fancy silks, at \$5.95 and up.—Dobson's.

## COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Fulton Circuit Court, Ky.  
W. A. Adams, Plaintiff  
against  
J. F. Adams, etc., Defendant. — Equity.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Fulton Circuit Court, rendered at January Term thereof, 1918 in the above cause, for the purpose of division of proceeds, with interest at the rate of — per cent, per annum from the — day of — 191— until paid, and — costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House door in Hickman, Kentucky, to the highest bidder, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on the 11th day of March 1918 at two o'clock P. M. or thereabout (being County Court day), upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit:

Lot No. 2 in Section Twenty-five (25) Township One (1) Range (7), West, in Fulton County, Kentucky, containing Twelve and two-thirds (12 2/3) acres, said lot being set apart and allotted in case of Margaret Adams et als. vs. J. F. Adams et als., and shown by Commissioner's Report recorded in Fulton Circuit Clerk's Office in Order Book No. 18, Page 482.

Or sufficient thereof to produce the sums of money so ordered to be made. For the purchase price, the purchaser—with approved securities, must execute Bond—, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

W. B. AMBERG,  
Commissioner

A sore throat can be treated best from the outside. The throat should be rubbed gently with BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. Apply at night and cover with a cotton cloth bandage; by morning the soreness will disappear. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Hickman Drug Co. Adv.

Seed potatoes.—Bondurant Bros.

## The Star Cash Grocery

### Saves You Money

15c Can Corn	11c
15c Can Tomatoes	12c
20c Can Tomatoes	15c
Quaker Oats, a pkg	10c
25c Can Salmon	20c
Pet Cream, small size, 8c	2 for 15c
Pet Cream, large can	15c
15c Can Hominy	15c
Clean Easy Soap	5c

## COMPARISON

	His Price	My Price
1 Can Corn	15c	11c
1 Can Tomatoes	20c	15c
1 Box Oats	15c	10c
1 Can Salmon	25c	20c
	75c	56c

You Save 19c. Try It!

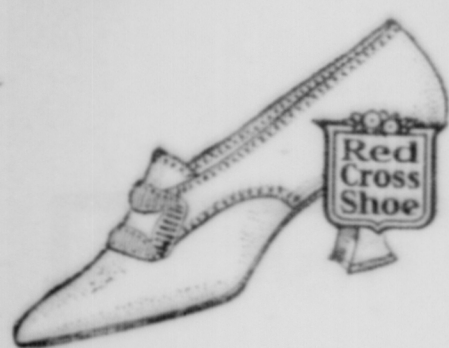
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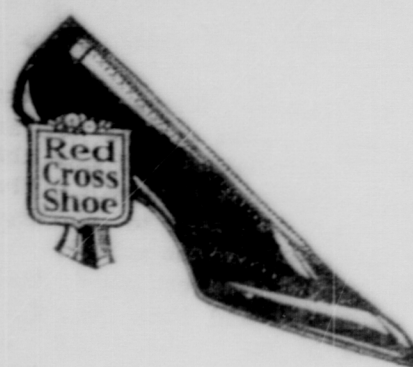
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## To The Women of Hickman--



It is with a great deal of pleasure that we announce the opening of our beautiful NEW STYLES. The linking together of the two names---"RED CROSS" and "BRADLEY" means a lot to women of Hickman

You know our standard of quality. You know that we handle only such merchandise as we can honestly recommend to our customers. We cannot afford to sell inferior or unreliable goods.

"RED CROSS" SHOES have a world wide reputation for the best Style and Honest Value. They are made in the largest women's shoe factory in the world---making fine shoes only.

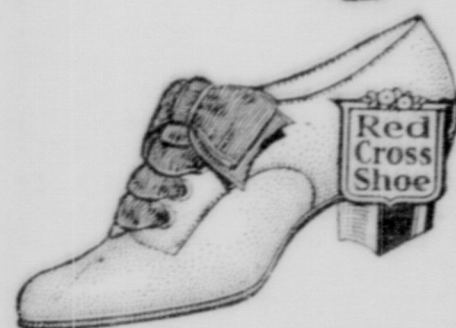
Every pair of shoes stamped "RED CROSS" sold in a reputable store, honestly handled and properly fitted, has the unqualified guarantee of the makers.

In this store "RED CROSS" has a double guarantee --the makers' and our own. Its your assurance.

You are cordially invited to come in and see the new styles. You may buy or not--you'll be welcome.

### R. L. BRADLEY

Hickman's Exclusive Distributor



#### COTTON PLANTING STARTS. SPOTS HIGHEST SINCE 1869.

The ensuing week will probably witness activity in farm preparations which will go a long way toward determining the acreage to be planted to cotton.

While there is plenty of time and some to spare to get ready to plant cotton, continuation of good weather will furnish the opportunity for the South to demonstrate its attitude toward the food problem in the most practical way.

An acreage even as large as last year's would indicate a very much larger yield. Any increase in acreage would be at the expense of food crops. The South, pretty generally, seems to have recognized the fact that it is going to have to feed itself the coming winter.

The past week saw a return to the highest values that have ruled this season. Memphis and New Orleans, quoted at 32 cents, surpassed all former records since 1869.

Speculation in future has been very limited. The strength of the spot markets has dominated, and there are those who predict that such control will not only continue through the new crop, but that the price will be regulated by the cost of production, a thing that has never before existed. The old saw of "a pound of meat, a pound of cotton," is familiar enough, but in so far as the actual cost of production is concerned it has entered but little into price-making.

A careful survey of the cost of production is said to be under way, but the tangible results that may come from it are things that must come out of the future. Cotton field labor is so distinctly in a class by itself that the fixing of standards for cost accounting is going to present a pretty considerable problem, and one that maybe cannot be solved in a single season.

It might be less difficult to make a successful survey under normal conditions, but things are anything but normal. And one thing about the prevailing normal conditions is that the cost of production is entering very little into the selling price of commodities.

According to an investigation by the statistical bureau of a New York commission house, the cost of producing last year's crop averaged 11.28 cents per pound and the average profit to the growers was \$31.55 per acre.

It might be added, too, that the boll weevil infested sections are predicting bigger yields this year on account of the severe winter eliminating the bugs to a big extent.

At best, cotton will be a fickle crop this year--and a larger acreage may mean a return of the sad experience of 1914.

#### CALOMEL DYNAMITES A SLUGGISH LIVER.

Crashes Into Sour Bile, Making You Sick And You Lose A Day's Work.

Calomel salivates! It's mercury. Calomel acts "like dynamite on a sluggish liver. When calomel comes into contact with sour bile it crashes into it, causing cramping and nausea.

If you feel bilious, headachy, constipated and all knocked out, just go to your druggist and get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for a few cents which is a harmless vegetable substitute for dangerous calomel. Take spoonful and if it doesn't start your liver and straighten you up better and quicker than nasty calomel and without making you sick, you just go back and get your money.

If you take calomel today you'll be sick and nauseated tomorrow; be sides, it may salivate you, while if you take Dodson's Liver Tone you will wake up feeling great, full of ambition and ready for work or play. It's harmless, pleasant and safe to give to children; they like it. Adv.

Germany has closed her breweries, in order to win the war, but America still allows her to run, despite the fact that all her population must save grain and coal so wickedly wasted by the breweries. The breweries are a German institution, owned and operated almost exclusively by Germans. They make for inefficiency wherever they are, and wherever their products are used. Munition and other war work factories claim that their output is reduced from 5 to 25 per cent by these institutions, and are urging that breweries be closed at least during the war period.

Take HERBINE for indigestion. It relieves the pain in a few minutes and forces the fermented matter which causes the misery into the bowels where it is expelled. Price 50c. Sold by Hickman Drug Co. Adv. See our window displays for new goods.--Dobson's.

### Pure Goods

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### Right Prices

have ever been our aim as these two conditions cover every successful feature of any kind of a business, but especially the drug business. Right prices alone is sufficient to attract a large trade. We realize that and with pure goods hold our trade.

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### HOW MRS. BOYD AVOIDED AN OPERATION

Canton, Ohio.--"I suffered from a female trouble which caused me much suffering, and two doctors decided that I would have to go through an operation before I could get well. My mother, who had been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, advised me to try it before submitting to an operation. It relieved me from my troubles."

so I can do my house work without any difficulty. I advise any woman who is afflicted with female troubles to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial and it will do as much for them."--Mrs. MARIE BOYD, 1421 5th St., N. E., Canton, Ohio.

Sometimes there are serious conditions where a hospital operation is the only alternative, but on the other hand so many women have been cured by this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, after doctors have said that an operation was necessary--every woman who wants to avoid an operation should give it a fair trial before submitting to such a trying ordeal.

If complications exist, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for advice. The result of many years experience is at your service.

Hubbard Lowery left for Hot Springs last week for the benefit of his health.

Real Torchon laces, all widths, at 10c a yard.--Dobson's.  
Born, Feb. 26, to Ben F. Hunt and wife, a son.

#### SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of Judgment and Order of Sale directed to me which issued from the Clerk's office of the Fulton Quarterly Court, in favor of I. H. Hobson against J. S. Ballard I or one of my Deputies, will, on the 25th day of March 1918 between the hours of 1 o'clock P. M., and 2 o'clock P. M., at the residence of Althe Mills in West Hickman, County of Fulton, Kentucky, expose to PUBLIC SALE, to the highest bidder the following property, (or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount of the Plaintiff's debt, interest and cost, amounting to \$130.00), to-wit: One Clarendon Piano levied upon as the property of J. S. Ballard.

TERMS--Cash.

This the 1st day of March 1918.

SWAYNE WALKER,

Sheriff Fulton County

By S. T. Roper, D. S.

Mrs. W. G. Allen left last Thursday on visit in Louisville.

Our garden seed are fresh and reliable.--Bondurant Bros.

#### REAL WAR LIGHT, BREAD.

Don't fail to try it. One cup of cooked rice, one cup of rolled oats or oat meal, one cup of corn meal, 6oz. salt, two tablespoons full of sugar, one yeast cake, one cup of warm water or one cup of butter milk.

Cook rice take one cup of meal and make into mush, stir oats in mush and let steam, when entirely cold add the rest of the ingredients. It made up at noon, let rise until night, then take and make up in enough white flour to make a stiff dough, put in vessel and let rise over night, work done in morning and make out in loaves, grease pan and top of bread or cake, after beginning to brown, then place pan of water above bread, so as not to cook too fast, letting it stay until bread is nearly done, then remove water and finish cooking.

Easter is on the 31st of March. Come now and select your Easter apparel at Dobson's.

Miss Julia Jackson spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Ann Murphay, of Union City.

#### CASH FOR POULTRY.

Bring your roosters, ducks, geese, turkeys and guineas to the LaCade Hotel. Will pay the highest market price.

Stags ..... 18c  
Old Roosters, a pound..... 15c  
Turkeys, a pound..... 23c  
Ducks, a pound ..... 22c  
Guineas, each ..... 35c

J. O. WEST.

### The Season

for Tornadoes, Windstorms and Cyclones is here. Are you protected from loss by either? We are prepared to furnish you with protection at a very small outlay of money. If interested see us today, or you had better call No. 47 and let us write it before it is too late. We write all kinds of insurance, FIRE, TORNADO, LIFE, MARINE, Surety Bonds, etc.

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#### ONLY ONE MEATLESS DAY.

Temporary suspension of the meatless meal and of the special restrictions against the use of pork on Saturday was announced by the food administration as readjustment of its food conservation program. Increased meat production and the necessity for still greater saving in wheat it was declared, make the change advisable.

The suspension is made effective for an indefinite period and it probably will last for three months or longer.

Since all restrictions on consumption of mutton and lamb have been lifted previously, the food administration now asks the public for the time being to deny itself in meats only, beef and pork, on one day a week--Tuesday.

S. M. Nafieh and wife and little daughter, Dorothy King, left Sunday morning for Louisville and Chicago markets.

300 dozen ladies black hose, good quality (SECONDS) at 10c a pair, others 15c and up.--Dobson's.



# ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

TUES. MARCH 12

At the late residence of A. N. King, known as the Wilson Hill Farm. Near M. A. McDaniel's

I, the undersigned administrator of A. N. King deceased, will offer for sale on the terms below mentioned, the following personal property:

Fifty Head of Cattle, all ages and consisting of 8 fine steers, four cows with young calves, six head other milch cows, 15 or 20 yearlings and about 20 head of young cows and heifers.

8 Brood Sows, and barrows, 14 pigs.

4 dozen chickens, Partnership

22 Geese Partnership

2 two-horse wagons and one milk delivery wagon

11 head of horses and mules

Farm machinery, tool harness and paraphernalia

1 buggy

1 lot of ear corn, partnership.

1 lot of household goods and whatever else that

may be found of the personal property of A. N. King, deceased. TERMS OF SALE: This property will be sold, all sums under \$10.00 cash, over \$10., on a credit of eight months. Purchaser will be required to give note bearing 6 per cent interest from date, with good surety. Sale begins 10:30 a. m.

Jesse McNeill, Administrator  
A. N. King, Deceased.

## INCOME TAX RETURNS.

A report seems to have gained circulation in Hickman that there are new rulings pending that may change the income tax regulation and that it is better to wait until near the time limit, April 1, is up before filing income tax returns.

This is not correct. The income tax regulations for 1917 are now complete. All who are due to make returns should file these returns at the earliest date possible. Heavy penalties can be assessed against returns received even one day late.

## SMALL FARM FOR SALE.

Several have been trying to buy small pieces of land from me, so I have decided to cut up some of my larger divisions into smaller tracts, and for a short time only will quote a few small pieces for sale.

I will have one tract of about 35 acres (outside of the levee) and about 43 acres behind the levee, with a good, new seven room bungalow, with screened porch, good stable, crib and wagon shed; with some alfalfa on the place. Price \$40.00 per acre for the land outside of the levee; \$55.00 per acre for that behind the levee. Terms: 25 per cent cash, balance 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 years, 6 per cent interest, payable annually.

This is the poorest piece of land I own, but one corn crop on the land in front of the levee will pay for that, and one cotton or alfalfa crop on that behind the levee will pay for it, after deducting the cost of the improvements. This tract is only two miles from Hickman, and every foot of it is in cultivation.

I will further agree to contract with anyone buying land from me to pay them \$1.50 per bushel for their corn at gathering time if we are still at war (which I pray will not be) and 10c per pound for cotton in the seed; or if the war is settled I will agree to pay 15c per pound for well picked cotton in the seed delivered before December 15th, 1918.

I have other tracts much higher priced than this I will also quote, if you are interested.

SYD. L. DODDS.

The city fathers, at their last meeting, agreed to allow Jailer Posey 35c instead of 30 cents per meal for feeding prisoners. Even at this price, Mr. Posey cannot serve much fried chicken and strawberry shortcake and come out ahead.

Norway, Spain, Argentina and Sweden will probably get into the fight against Germany, so say dispatches from Washington.

WANTED: Men to work at our sawmill and handle lumber at our mill at Bondurant, Ky.—A. B. Smith Lumber Co.

Mrs. E. L. Williams and Joe Ratliff, of Crystal, were the guests of her sister, Mrs. Fannie Shaw, Saturday.

The electric driven hoisting machinery for the new N. C. elevator is being installed this week.

Easter is on the 1st of March. Come now and select your Easter apparel at Dobson's.

## County School Notes

By Miss Virginia Lutten, County Supt.

On Friday night, March 15th, the tenth grade pupils of the Sylvan Shade High School will give the play, "A Southern Cinderella." The proceeds will be used to purchase more equipment for the school.

Last year it was estimated that the vacant lot and back yard garden crops in the United States amounted to \$350,000,000. The school children in the cities are organizing to do even more gardening this spring. Our County Demonstrator is offering assistance to high school pupils and those of the upper grades in gardening and canning. A large number of these pupils have already shown their patriotism by joining the club. Next week our county demonstrator will publish some recipes for some of the war dishes.

Teachers will please remember the date of the K. E. A. has been changed to April 24-27. We hope to have a good delegation from our county this year.

## CAYCE NEWS.

Miss Nannie Lutten and Louise McNeese spent Tuesday with Mrs. Harry Sublett. Harry Tucker entertained a number of his friends at his home Tuesday evening. A very pleasant time was reported—Misses Eda Oliver and Mabel Varden made a short visit to Bondurant this week. —Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williams, of Fulton, visited his mother, Mrs. J. W. Williams, last week—Miss Jessie Campbell spent Saturday and Sunday with Mayme and Ruth Wade, of near Liberty.—Maudine Seacore and Mabel Holly spent Sunday with Myrtle B. Varden.—The Misses Davis entertained their friends Saturday night. There was over one hundred present and all had a nice time. —Prof. Arnold was in Hickman Saturday.—Henry Davis has returned home after spending a few weeks with his son at Hickman.—Mr. and Mrs. Arch Oliver spent Sunday with Fred L. Lackner and family.—Mr. and Mrs. C. Goodman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell.—Misses Clara Williams and Era Freeman were in Fulton Saturday.—Mr. and Mrs. Will Jefferson spent Sunday with her father, Bob Roper.—Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Barnett spent Wednesday with Mrs. Chas. Bondurant and family.—Mrs. Will Crawford died at her home Sunday morning. She leaves four small children and two sons. Jim, the soldier boy, was called home from Camp Taylor, but arrived too late to see her. The funeral was at Union Church.—During the electrical storm Sunday morning one of S. E. Johnson's barns was struck by lightning and was nearly burned when the alarm was given. We are glad to say he had it insured. It was for a while feared that Charley Bondurant's home would be burned, but the heavy rain and a change in the wind saved it.—The mothers should meet with Mrs. Curd, our county demonstrator, at the school house next Thursday and learn of the children's canning club. It will be very instructive to the child besides it will be a fine way for them to make their spending money. It will also make them feel like they are doing their bit for our nation. She also has in view a women's canning club, which will be a great help to the house wife.—Mrs. Myatt Johnson and daughter, Marie, spent Monday with Edna Roper.—Mrs. A. W. Fowler spent Monday with Mrs. Ray Thomas.—Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bondurant and Mrs. I. A. Arnold motored to Fulton Saturday.—Rev. Wood, of Martin, filled his appointment at the Baptist church Sunday.—Mrs. Joe Nailling and Miss Mary Atteberry were in Union City Tuesday.

Small town papers are passing out. The Wingo paper died recently, and the Hardin paper is to move to a larger town. The Barlow paper consolidated with the Wickliffe paper; and it is said that others are seeking other fields. It is well. The high prices of material, help, etc., and lack of proper patronage are making the life of small county papers precarious. —Calloway County Times.

Mrs. C. F. Baltzer, of Clarksdale, Miss., formerly of this city, had the misfortune Monday to fall down some steps, dislocating her shoulder and cutting a gash in her forehead. The doctor was called and several stitches taken.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brown, of McEwen, Tenn., are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. W. S. Swift.

Ask for Spina Vista cigars Five cents everywhere.

LONG AND SHORT TIME LOANS—See J. H. Russell.

## LODGE NOTES

Hickman Lodge No. 761, F. & A. M. meets in regular communication on the second and fourth Monday nights in each month. Visiting brothers always welcomed.—H. C. Barrett, Master, W. F. Renneberg, Secy.

Hickman Chapter No. 49, R. A. M. meets in stated convocation on the 3rd Monday night of each month. Visiting companions are extended a cordial welcome.—J. C. Sexton, H. P., W. F. Renneberg, Secy.

Elm Camp No. 3, Woodmen of the World, meets every 1st and 3rd Tuesday evenings, at 7:30, at their hall in the old city hall. Visiting Woodmen cordially invited.—C. B. Parrish, Council Commander—J. C. Ellison, Clerk.

## THE WEATHER

Little change in temperature. Fair tonight and Friday. Very

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. 35c.

Rev. J. A. Self, a Cumberland Presbyterian minister, and family, are moving from Brooksville, Miss., to Hickman. Rev. Self formerly resided in this county but left about 12 years ago. He will probably keep up his ministerial work in Mississippi for the present.

John Harper who is attending school at Ky. State College at Lexington, is spending a few days at home with his parents, W. J. Harper and wife, and buying corn for the Agricultural Department.

Mrs. Grant Delph, of Nashville, spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her parents, Nim Walker and Wife.

Mrs. B. G. Hale, Sr. spent a few days this week with her mother, Mrs. R. A. Harper, of Union City.

Miss Erin Roper returned to her home at State Line after a visit to Miss Annie Lee Brown.

Mrs. Kate Duiguld, of Tiptonville, spent a few days this week in town with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Joe Butts left Wednesday for a visit to her parents at Kingston Springs.

B. G. Hale, Sr. returned home Tuesday from Memphis on a business trip.

Garden Seed.—Bondurant Bros.

## LOST 2 CHILDREN THIS YEAR.

Little Kathryn Decker, age 6 1-2 years, died at the home of her step-father, J. R. Dial, in West Hickman, at nine o'clock Tuesday night. She was ill only a few hours and is thought to have died of congestion of the brain, as a physician did not arrive until she was dead. The little body was laid to rest at the city cemetery yesterday afternoon. The same family also had a little girl, Irene, age 5, burned to death on Jan. 16th. In the "simple annals of the poor," here is a case worthy of profound and tender sympathy, which the Courier tenders in full measure.

## POULTRY PRICES THIS WEEK.

This week we will pay the following prices: EGGS, per dozen, 27c; geese, per pound, 18c; old roosters, 16c; young roosters, 18c; ducks, 22c. These prices are guaranteed for THIS week only.—J. A. Roper & Bro.

## "ONLY A VOLUNTEER."

Lewis Lunsford, youngest son of L. C. Lunsford, of this city, who is now a sergeant in the aviation branch and stationed in Waco, Tex., sends us a poem written by one of his friends in camp, "Only a Volunteer."

Only a Volunteer.  
Why didn't I wait to be drafted,  
And be led to the train by a hand,  
And put in a claim for exemption,  
Oh, why did I hold up my hand?  
Why didn't I wait for the banquet?  
Why didn't I wait to be cheered,  
For the drafted men get all the credit,

While I merely volunteered.  
And nobody gave me a banquet,  
Nobody said a kind word.

A puff of the engine, the grind of the wheels,  
Was all the good-bye that we heard—  
Then off to the training camp hurried.

To be trained for the next half year,  
And in the shuffle forgotten,  
I was only a volunteer.

And perhaps some day in the future,  
When my 'tie boy sits on my knee,  
And asks what I did in the great war,

And his little eyes look up to me,  
I will have to look into those eyes,  
That at me so trustingly peer,  
And tell him that I wasn't drafted—  
That I was only a volunteer.

Why didn't you wait to be drafted?  
The answer is simple enough.  
You didn't need a brass band to lead you,  
You're made of the right kind of stuff—  
Your banquet will come when its over,

That's when you want to be cheered.  
And then you will know you deserved it,  
Because you volunteered.

Don't get discouraged so quickly,  
From what I've seen, I've a hunch  
That out of the millions of soldiers,  
Uncle Sam likes you the best of the bunch.

You don't complain of your duties,  
Of hardship you have no fear,  
You lick up your meals with a relish,  
Because you're a volunteer.

You weren't dragged in by a number,  
As though you were nothing at all—  
And you didn't go around with a frown on,

Afraid that your country would call;  
You didn't buy up every paper,  
And scan the draft column with fear—  
You marched right along with your head up,

For you were a volunteer.  
What if the little draft whistles—  
Do get a little more praise—  
Praise don't get the old Kaiser,  
Its real men we're needing these days.

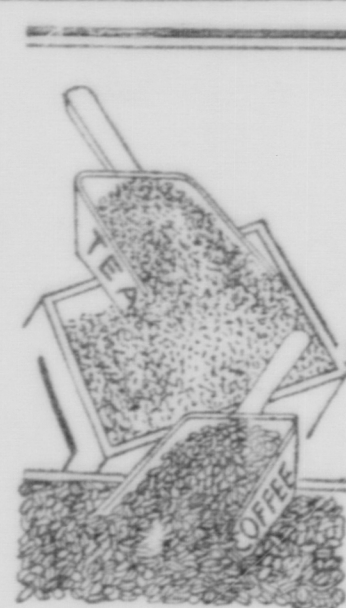
Just keep your eyes on Berlin, boys;  
Never mind about brass bands and cheers;  
The glory will go to the heroes,  
And they'll be the volunteers.

We really haven't seen any high taxation yet. For example the American earning \$5000 a year must pay an income tax of \$80, while the Englishman earning the same amount must pay a tax of \$935.—Ex.

We have just what you want in White Goods and now is the time to buy.—Dobson's.

Early outdoor flowers and fruit trees are blooming. Spring is just around the corner.

New Dress Goods at Dobson's.



Fresh  
Coffee  
is

## Better Coffee

It may never have occurred to you that coffee, like many other items, loses its strength and flavor with age and deterioration—but such is the case especially with roasted or ground coffee. In short, there is more to the FRESHNESS of coffee than the BLEND or GRADE.

We have arranged with one of the biggest coffee concerns to furnish us

Fresh Roasted Coffee Every Week

which we will be able to grind on our electric mill for you and supply YOU with fresh coffee—a high grade Peaberry and will sell as an

Introductory Offer, Only 25c Pound

If you have any doubt about the quality, just try a small order. If it isn't the finest blend, with as rich aroma and delicious flavor as good as any 35c and 40c coffee you've been using—send it back and get your money. Could you ask a fairer proposition? We want you to know the excellence of Fresh Roasted and Freshly Ground Coffee.

Ellison Grocery &  
Hardware Co.

BOTH PHONES

## WILL START BUILDING NEW CHURCH NEXT MONTH.

The Christian church people of Hickman hope to begin work on their new \$15,000 church building some time next month, this building taking the place of that lost by fire some two years ago. They expect this week a special church building architect from Kokomo, Ind., who will draft their plans. The new structure is to go up on the old church site, the walls of the old building already having been razed and other preliminary arrangements made.

## To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine. It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 35c.

What we consider the biggest insult to our meager intelligence is for some merchant who operates a "toy" store to tell us that advertising does not pay. Pick up your magazines and daily newspapers and they are full. It is more essential for the small merchant to advertise because he has a great deal more competition than the city merchant.

What is believed to be the first club banded together to boost Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo, for the presidency was organized at Oklahoma City. The organization is to be state wide.

In our ladies ready to wear department you will find the new spring garment you are looking for. New spring suits, coats, dresses, skirts, waists, millinery and corsets at unusual low prices.—Dobson's.

Everything new pertaining to Women's Wear at the lowest possible prices at Dobson's.

Capt. Mack Fitchet, of Cairo, was here last week, coming here to go on the Str. Comet.

E. C. Artman, manufacturer of Metropolis, Ill., was here last Thursday on business.

Capt. L. McMakin was in Louisville and Paducah last week on business.

POSTS FOR SALE: Black locust, white oak and sassafras.—L. P. Ellison.

Miss Agnes Mills visited Clinton friends last week.

HOUSE FOR RENT.—See Dee Henry.

## FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

Services for Sunday, March 10, will be as follows:  
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.  
Sermon by the pastor at 11 a. m.  
Subject, "The Christian View of God in History."  
No service at 7:30 p. m. because of meeting at First Baptist church.  
R. C. Douglass, pastor.

## REGISTERED CATTLE FOR SALE.

All of this stock should be kept in this end of the county, and I am offering to sell it on good notes to responsible people who will keep up the grade of the stock and keep them registered. Will sell on long time, 6 per cent interest, in an effort to help build up the stock in this end of the State, which has been neglected. You are letting this stock slip out to other parts of the country. It costs no more to feed good stock than bad.

We will allow four per cent for cash on all purchases of cattle. Come at once and trade. Don't do as so many did about the mules—wait until they are all shipped out and then say, "Why didn't you save me some of them?"

We are shipping out stock of some kind almost every day.

SYD. L. DODDS.

Spot cotton advanced to new high levels Tuesday — \$32.38. The mills are setting from 80 to 90c a pound for cotton, which would indicate there is still room for further advance in the raw material.

LOST: At Hickman post office last Saturday, small time book and W. O. W. receipt book, list of locust Grove church in book. Return to post office.—S. A. Lindley. 1p

By mutual agreement, J. T. Stephens and L. N. Gregory have dissolved partnership in the roofing business, this March 4th, 1918. 1p

Mrs. Iris Latra, age 27, died at the home of her parents, Henry Copeland and wife, at Wingo, Saturday.

New SPRING COATS, you can get just what you want at Dobson's. Your nickel makes good buy when it purchases a Spina Vista cigar.

J. H. Peck was home from La Center, Sunday.

Drewery Bondurant spent Sunday in Fulton.